

Rumor of Plane in Trouble

B-36 Bomber Said To Be Ditched in Sound Near Seattle With 16 Men Aboard

SEATTLE, Feb. 14—(P)—A crippled B-36 bomber with 17 crewmen and one civilian aboard was believed down today in Queen Charlotte Sound, about 460 miles northwest of Seattle.

The six-engine plane radioed at 2:54 p.m. (Pacific Standard Time) (5:54 EST) that one engine was afire and the pilot contemplated "ditching" in the water.

Planes and ships sped to the scene, about 125 miles northwest of Fort Hardy, on the northern tip of Vancouver Island.

At Hobbs, N.M., an airways radio operator reported the bomber message it lost three engines before ditching.

Harry M. Crouse, Civil Aeronautics Administration radio operator at Hobbs, told of hearing the messages about 4 a.m. Mountain Standard Time (7 a.m. CST). He said they were intercepted while en route from the Seattle station to Eight Air Force headquarters at Fort Worth.

One message said the giant craft was letting down at sea off British Columbia after losing one engine by fire, Crouse related. A short time later another message reported the plane had lost two other engines, also because of fire, he said.

Distress Message
The big bomber, on a training flight from Eielson Air Force base, near Fairbanks, Alaska, to Carswell Air Force base, Fort Worth, Tex., said in its distress message:

"At 17,000 feet in severe icing. Instruments and engine trouble. Severe emergency. Going to let down through overcast to lose ice."

Search planes fanned out over Queen Charlotte Sound from bases at Kodiak and Ketchikan, Alaska; Whidbey Island and McChord Field, Wash., and from Royal Canadian air force bases in British Columbia. Other air bases were alerted to have search planes ready.

Coast Guard vessels were en route from Port Angeles and Ketchikan.

A military air transport plane, bound for Seattle at about the time distress signals were heard, reported seeing a light flicker and fade on Queen Charlotte Sound, Eight Air Force headquarters said.

First Message Early Today
The plane first radioed it was having difficulty at 11:55 p.m. (PST) last night (1:55 a.m. CST today).

Two hours later it messaged: "One engine on fire. Contemplate ditching in Queen Charlotte Sound between Queen Charlotte Island and Vancouver Island. Keep a careful lookout for flares or wreckage."

Then came the final message that the big ship was "going to let down."

This was the third time in three days a B-36 encountered difficulties on northwest flights, but in the two previous instances it was minor trouble. B-36's made unscheduled landings at McChord on Sunday and Monday because of mechanical difficulty.

Still Looking for Other
The B-36 search came while planes based at Whitehorse, Yukon territory, still were looking for an air force C-54 that disappeared January 26 with 44 aboard.

Col. Cecil Scott, Eight Air Force public relations officer at Fort Worth, said the missing B-36 took off two days ago for the training flight to Alaska.

When the secrecy instructions were issued early in the search, all government agencies involved here said they were under orders from the air force not to give any information concerning the missing bomber.

Worse Than Alarm Clock
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 14—(P)—People who jump in fright when the alarm clock goes off can sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Glowczewski.

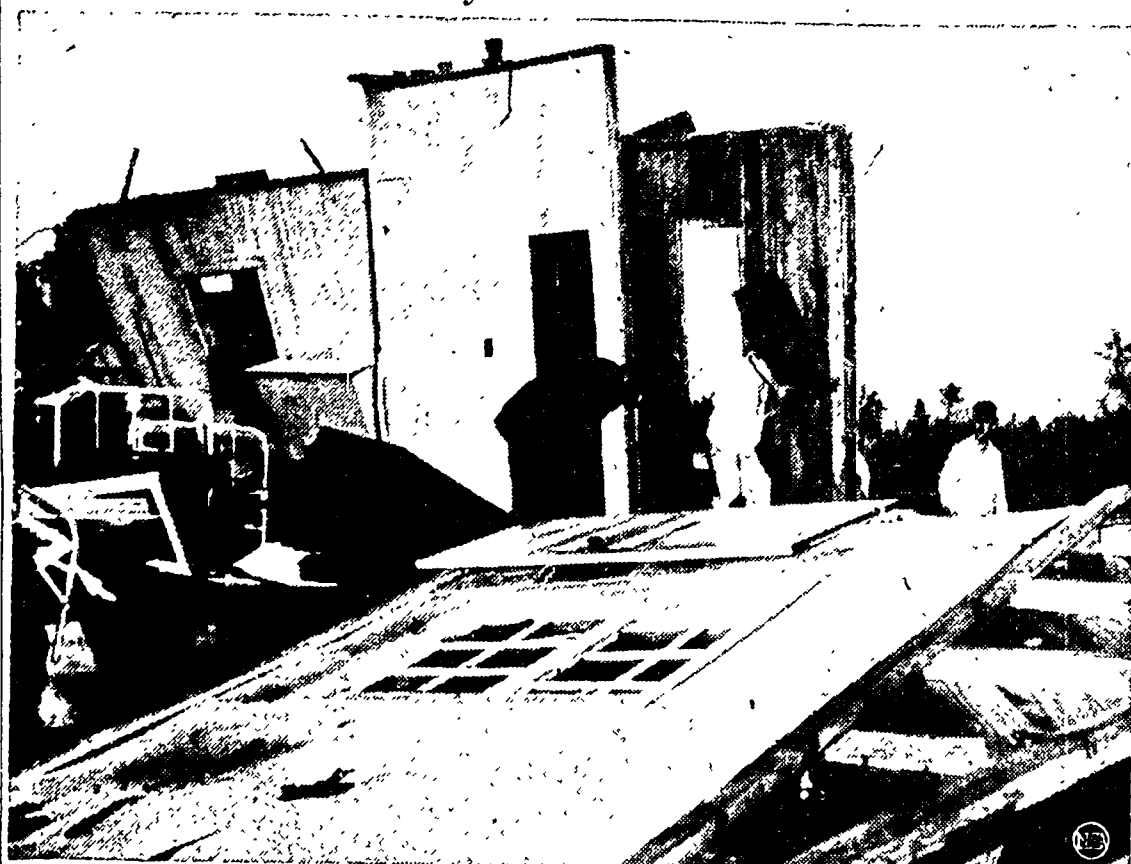
They were awakened at 3:45 p.m. today by the crash of a truck into their two-room frame house.

The vehicle smashed into the kitchen, knocked over the refrigerator, dish cabinet and table and finally stopped at the sink.

"I never heard so much noise in my life," commented Glowczewski.

Important Meeting VFW Post 5741 Tonight
The VFW Post, No. 5741, will hold an important business meeting in the VFW hall at 8:00 o'clock tonight.

Tornadoes Take Heavy Toll



Cooks at Slack Air Force depot near Shreveport, La., started moving their personal belongings out of a combination mess hall and barracks after a tornado struck the building killing three men. Storms in Texas, Louisiana, Tennessee and Arkansas killed at least 44 persons, left hundreds injured and cost thousands of dollars in property damage. (NEA Telephoto)

Mayors Seek Maintenance Hi-Way Streets

Request Presented To Commission This Afternoon

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 14—(P)—A committee of mayors asked the Missouri Highway Commission today to take over maintenance of all city streets used as highway routes.

The request was in a statement to the commission prepared by Mayor Julian H. Bagby of Sedalia, chairman of a special committee of the Missouri Municipal League. Bagby planned to present it to the commission this afternoon (3 p.m.).

If the commission agrees to the plan, Bagby said he would feel free to support Gov. Forrest Smith's plan to double the present two-cent gasoline tax and use a penny of the extra revenue for rural roads.

Would Like Early Action
Bagby said the committee believes the commission should act at once to take over street maintenance on highway routes—"but in no event should it be delayed if the present proposed increase in the gasoline tax is accepted."

"The cities have been long suffering and have been forced to maintain large portions of the state designated system within their limits," his statement said.

"Practically all of the city streets over which this heavy traffic has been routed were built for ordinary city traffic, not heavy tonnage trucks and buses that we now see on our highways. It is obvious what has happened. The maintenance load has been more than the cities could bear and consequently some of our streets are almost impassable today."

The gas tax law is to be voted on at a special referendum election April 4. It includes a highway commission pledge that revenue from one cent of the increase will be spent on low type rural roads.

Cleared the Way
Bagby noted that the 1945 Constitution cleared the way for the commission to spend money on roads within cities.

"We think it's their duty to do it," he said in explaining the statement.

He was interviewed at headquarters for the governor's new "better roads committee" which started its campaign for approval of the road bill today. James C. Kirkpatrick moved from the governor's office, where he was published.

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Woman Given Census Job In Joplin Has Been Removed

JOPLIN, Mo., Feb. 14—(P)—Mrs. Fern D. Edwards of Pierce City was removed as Joplin District Census Supervisor and Mrs. Jeannette Boyd of Carthage was sworn in as her successor as a climax to a month's political row over the original appointment.

Don O. Adamson, Jasper county Democratic chairman, whose vigorous protest against Mrs. Edwards' appointment over the recommendations of the seventh congressional committee brought the issue into the open, said today the switch was made "on orders from President Truman to straighten it out."

At the same time that Mrs. Boyd took over, Mrs. Lorraine Ruppel of Aurora also was sworn in as assistant census supervisor here. Both Mrs. Boyd and Mrs.

Triplets Treat Classmates On Birthday

It is Valentine Day again, a big day in the life of the Pfeiffer triplets, because it is their birthday anniversary. Today Rose Ann, Rita Marie and Richard Charles, children of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Pfeiffer, 1806 South Grand avenue, are seven years old. Monday night their mother baked cookies for them to take to school today. They are in the first grade of Sacred Heart school and after all a birthday anniversary for triplets is a big event which calls for a very special celebration, so in addition to the fun of Valentine's Day there was also a treat of cookies for the youngsters in the first grade at Sacred Heart.

A. L. Hawkins To School Board

Monday evening at a meeting of the board of education in the city schools, A. L. Hawkins was named a member to fill the unexpired term of J. R. Fullerton, who had resigned to move to St. Louis.

Mr. Hawkins, as a Republican member, will serve until the next election.

The new board member was formerly of Joplin, and is superintending here for the Reliable Life Insurance company of St. Louis.

His home address is 311 East Jackson street where he with his wife and a daughter attending Jefferson school reside. He is 46 years old and besides the wife and daughter has four sons, R. L. Hawkins, of Sedalia, the father and son both owning their homes in Sedalia. The son here has two children and the family resides at 310 East Howard street.

The other sons are: Richard Hawkins, of Joplin, A. L. Hawkins, Jr., in the U. S. marines stationed in North Carolina and James H. Hawkins, also in the marines, who is stationed in California.

Mrs. A. L. Hawkins since the family's coming to Sedalia has been active in Parent-Teacher and Girl Scouts work.

Valentines, Virginia, Does Record Business

VALENTINES, Va., Feb. 14—(P)—This little Brunswick county postoffice did a record business today in Valentine's day mail.

Postmaster R. J. Clary, Jr., said 210 special pieces of mail, sent here by collectors in 36 states, were cancelled and mailed from here today.

A normal day's outgoing business in stamp value has been placed at about \$1 in letters and postcards.

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Jobs For Those Willing to Work
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Smith relayed the report in his weekly letter to the rural press.

Missouri War Prisoner is Handed Check

One Dollar for Each Day He Spent In Prison Camp

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14—(P)—Frank H. Bigelow, of Rockville, Md., was handed a check this morning for \$1,198, one dollar for each of the 1,198 days he spent in Jap prison camps.

The two war commission commissioners, Daniel F. Cleary and Mrs. Georgia Lusk, gave Bigelow the check, the first POW subsistence payment made under the war claims act. He is a Navy veteran who was captured on Corregidor.

About 250 other ex-POW's will get their checks this week, too. Thereafter, payments will leave Washington at a 50-a-day clip. The money is supposed to come from seized enemy assets. So far the fund could pay only about one sixth the claims.

A Tough Time
The commission had a tough time selecting Bigelow as winner of the first check. Four other POW's who live near Washington, and who had sent their applications in before Bigelow, led him on the list. But—they couldn't be located.

You'd hardly notice that Bigelow wears an artificial limb. He lost his leg when a large rock fell on it in a Japanese coal mine, where he was put to work. An American doctor did the operation with the only instruments he had—a meat cleaver, a meat saw and two U. S. A. razor blades. Bigelow is glad enough to get the money but he says he wouldn't go through his prison experience again for \$100,000.

To Pay Out Large Sum
Altogether, the commission expects to pay out \$108,000,000 to 133,000 American POW's, their survivors and 60,000 to 100,000 Filipino POW's, who were members of the Philippine Island military forces.

The commission has on hand about 75,000 claims. New ones are coming in at the rate of 1,200 a day.

Seek to Prevent Closing of Station
A delegation from Houstonia accompanied by William F. Brown, went to Jefferson City, Monday where they appeared before the Missouri Public Service Commission in regard to the closing of the Missouri Pacific passenger station at Houstonia. The Missouri Pacific has asked the Commission for permission to close the station and the Houstonia business men desire to have it to remain in operation.

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Czechs Hold Two American Missionaries

On Charges of Attempting to Enter Prohibited Area

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, Feb. 14—(P)—The Czech foreign office announced today state police have arrested two American Mormon missionaries on charges of having attempted to enter a prohibited area.

The announcement was made in a note to the U. S. Embassy replying to an American request for information as to the whereabouts of the missionaries. The two disappeared Jan. 28 while traveling through Moravia to visit members of the church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (Mormon) living near the border.

The missionaries are Stanley E. Abbot, 23, of Lehi, Utah, and C. Aldon Johnson, 22, of Idaho Falls, Idaho.

The foreign office note to the American embassy did not say where the missionaries are being held.

To Be Held
The U. S. Embassy said the foreign office note stated the two "would remain in custody until investigations had been completed."

It had been reported authoritatively the two were being held at Olomouc in Central Moravia, not far from Prostějov, where they had been stationed by their church. They had been held incommunicado. All efforts of American officials to see them have failed thus far.

The foreign office note also did not locate the "prohibited area" which the two missionaries are alleged to have violated. This apparently is the Polish border area to which the two men were traveling.

The note said the embassy's requests to see the men "was under consideration."

Both men, unmarried, have been in Czechoslovakia for a little more than two years.

New Rain, Snow Over the Nation

By The Associated Press

Wet skies dumped new rain and snow on most of the nation Tuesday. Swollen rivers rose again in winter flood danger zones.

Only the southwest and Florida were spared from rain or snow. The overflowing Ohio river, bloated by heavy January rains, raced past Cairo, Ill., into the Mississippi above the high mark it set on leaves last month. And it bubbled further upward.

Heavy snowfalls continued Tuesday morning in parts of Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska.

South of this snow belt, a cold winter rain splashed southward to the Gulf of Mexico and eastward to the Atlantic coast.

In between, freezing rain piled up heavy slush and ice.

Four to eight inches of new snow coated southern Wisconsin and Minnesota. New York and southern New England dug out of five to 12 inches.

The widespread storm, centered in Kentucky, poured tons of fresh water into flood-saturated river watersheds.

Mrs. Miller Undergoes An Operation
Mrs. E. Paul Miller, 923 West Seventh street, underwent an operation Monday at Research hospital in Kansas City, and is getting along satisfactory. Mr. Miller is in Kansas City with her.

Jefferson Citizen to Address Kiwanis Club
The president of the Key club, of Jefferson City, will be the speaker at the regular meeting of the Kiwanis club Thursday noon at Bothwell hotel. The Key club is one that promotes a boys' work program.

The Weather
Mostly cloudy tonight and Wed. with a little drizzle or snow tonight. Low tonight near 15, highest Wed. in 20s.

CLOUDY
Temperature: 7:00 a.m. 24 degrees; 2:00 p.m. 26 degrees. Moisture from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. today: .02 inch.

Lake of the Ozarks 4.4 fall 1.1.

Thought for Today
When Jesus knew that it was not possible for the cup to pass from Him, with love to God He held it fast, and with love to man He drank it all. —Alexander Dickson.

Seven Cakes Given Governor Today on His 64th Birthday

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 14—(P)—Today, Valentine's Day, is Gov. Forrest Smith's 64th birthday.

And today, for the first time since 1932, he did not file for office on his election year birthday.

Grimacing, the governor took a Buckeye out of his pocket and showed it to newspapermen.

"Ed Jameson gave me that in 1932," he said. "He said it would bring me luck and keep away the rheumatism. It's worked so far."

(Jameson is W. Ed Jameson, Fulton businessman and former president of the old state board of managers for charitable institutions.)

Someone asked the governor if he planned to use the buckeye this year as an election charm and he said "no, not this year."

"How about lending it to Emory Allison?" he was asked.

The governor ducked that one.

President Truman has endorsed state Sen. Allison of Rolla for the Democratic senatorial nomination. But the governor has made no public statement about the Allison race, although the president's endorsement did not come until after he and the governor had talked it over.

The two Missouri Democratic leaders are expected to get together in Washington again this week. Smith said he plans to fly to Washington tomorrow for a Jefferson-Jackson Day dinner Thursday night.

The birthday atmosphere extended to the governor's desk, which was decorated with greenery from Ray county friends.

His presents included a set of gold cuff links with a Shrine emblem from his office staff, and seven birthday cakes.

F. W. Hayes, Sedalian, A Commissioner

Hold Hearings As To Protest In An Insurance Suit

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 14—(P)—Frank W. Hayes of Sedalia will be the supreme court's special commissioner in a case growing out of involving distribution of \$2,062,000 to policyholders of the old Missouri State Life Insurance Company.

General American Life Insurance company took over Missouri State Life in 1933. General American has charged that Circuit Judge Harry F. Russell of St. Louis was prejudiced and should not be allowed to preside in the law suit over distributing the funds.

Hayes, former Democratic state chairman, will have the job of hearing evidence on General American's charge and Judge Russell's defense. Then he will report his findings to the supreme court.

Frank W. Hayes named for that important legal duty on being advised of his selection said he would go to Jefferson City today to be sworn in and arrange preliminaries for the hearing.

Pope Has Influenza
VATICAN CITY, Feb. 14—(P)—Vatican sources reported that Pope Pius XII was confined to his apartment today with a slight attack of influenza.

Young Woman Testified
Miss Ora Halfacre, 920 West Fourth street, a passenger in the taxi cab at the time of the incident testified she saw Schick strike Jordan once before Jordan had struck at Schick. She emphasized the fact she was in the back seat and did not see everything that occurred.

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To help all boys, and especially those who have not had the opportunities that are afforded the majority, the Optimists International, through some 750 clubs, has become the "friend of the boy."

The clubs are regularly in contact with 175,000 boys and an additional 250,000 are frequently contacted. All of this work is done at the cost of about \$1,000,000. This would not be possible, however, if it were not for the fact that one out of every eight Optimists is actually engaged in boys' work.

The scope of Optimist boys' work is broad, it covers all boy activities; in some communities, the sponsoring of scouting, in others the operating of boys' clubs, and in still others active Junior Optimist clubs.

Complimented Sedalia Club
The speaker also complimented the Sedalia club on what had been accomplished in so short a time. He called attention to the fact that Monday, he had inspected the camp site east of Sedalia, and attended two Junior Optimist boys' club meetings Monday night at Washington and Mark Twain schools respectively.

Guests at today's luncheon were, Rev. Warren Neal, Rev. Wm. C. Bessmer, Dr. Carl Siegel, George Juneau, and Mrs. Frank Mehl.

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Inquest Into Youth's Death Is Underway

Expected to go To Coroner's Jury Late This Afternoon

An inquest into the death of Melvin Lee "Buddy" Jordan, 20, who died early Sunday morning after an altercation with Harry "Hack" Schick, driver of a Yellow Cab, at Main street and Osage avenue, is being held in the Assembly Room of the Court House, this afternoon.

The hearing is conducted by Dr. C. Gordon Stauffacher, coroner, assisted by Prosecuting Attorney William F. Brown. Schick, is represented by Fred F. Wesner and George Anson while John Martin is representing the family of Jordan.

The jury is composed of Claude Boul, Ed. Hoffman, James S. Reed, Sr., Kenneth Middleton, Bob George and H. E. Spillers. The jury viewed the body of Jordan at the Ewing funeral home, Monday afternoon.

Words Between Two
Jordan who resided with his mother, Mrs. Oliver Lilly, route 2, Sedalia, was struck by Schick after Jordan had held up his taxi cab enroute to the PVW Hall to deliver two passengers. Schick, who resides at 1623 East Fourth street, has admitting striking the young man twice after words which followed Jordan stopping his taxi cab.

Schick testified before the jury of Jordan stopping the cab, using vile words, when he told him to get out of the way, and of Jordan going to his side of the cab and jerking open the door. Schick said he struck Jordan twice after the young man had struck at him first. Schick said he had boxed while in the army and knew how to get out of the way when Jordan swung on him and that he hit Jordan on the chin each time with his left hand.

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Gambler Tries To Recall Honest Miami Beach Councilman

By Drew Pearson

(ED. NOTE—Drew Pearson's columns on how the national gambling network is gripping certain of our big cities have aroused nation-wide comment. Here is another column in the series.)
WASHINGTON.—Of all the great metropolitan sucker joints dotting the U.S.A., none, perhaps, furnishes easier picking for the gambling fraternity than Southern California and the corresponding coast of the eastern United States—Florida. And no place in Florida has become a more lush sporting ground for the underworld than the strip of castles-on-the-sand called Miami Beach.

There Joe Adonis, partner of Frankie Costello, who in turn is a partner of Bill Hollis, the good friend of President Truman's military attaché, General Vaughan, runs the roulette wheels of the famed Colonial Inn. There also a county sheriff has been known to get a campaign contribution of \$20,000 to elect him to an office that pays only \$7,500. And there also the swank hotels receive up to \$125,000 annually merely for the lease of their bookmaking concession.

And today in Miami Beach one of the most interesting political moves in the U.S.A. is taking place—a move by gamblers and others to remove a Miami Beach city councilman, Melvin Richard, who favors enforcement of the law regarding gambling.

Melvin Richard was elected to the city council with the help of the man who now is seeking to recall him, one Harry Plissner. This is the most interesting phase of the picture. For the Miami Beach lesson in bizarre government would seem to indicate that the gambling kings looked ahead months in advance and planted their man alongside the future councilman who later would help to run the city.

Gamblers Look Ahead
At any rate, well before Melvin Richard began running for office, Harry Plissner made himself his political adviser and later his virtual campaign manager.

"We spent so much time together that my wife once inquired whether I was married to her or to him," says Councilman Richard. And the only thing they really roved about during the campaign was Richard's anxiety to know where the campaign funds were coming from.

Plissner, however, brushed him off. Furthermore, Plissner did not disclose his own checkered career, and Councilman Richard did not know, among other things, that Harry Plissner's record in Springfield, Mass., showed that on Sept. 21, 1935, he was twice fined \$75 for promoting a lottery, and that on June 10, 1936, the convictions were sustained.

He also did not know that after Springfield became uncomfortable Plissner moved to Baltimore, where he was indicted on Jan. 24, 1938 for operating a gambling device; with another indictment on June 20, 1942. In both cases he managed to escape a guilty verdict, though meanwhile he conducted three pinball machine setups near Ft. Meade, Md., during the heyday of the war years.

"Open City" for Gamblers
All this, Councilman Richard did not know. But he did become suspicious when, immediately after election, Plissner wanted to appoint a friend as manager of the Bayshore golf course, where a bookmaking operation had been conducted.

After the campaign also Plissner changed his tune about law enforcement.

"He told me," says Councilman Richard, "that this strict enforcement policy, which I had espoused during my campaign, made excellent campaign material, but that if I would give it some thought, I would realize that it was ridiculous to carry out such a program. He told that with the money and power behind the gambling interests, even if I were able to prevent them from operating, which he doubted, the best I could get out of it would be my removal from office by recall."

"He told me I had to be practical and meet this problem sensibly, that if I refused, I would find myself worse off than prior to my election, and that if I went along I would find myself an important political figure."

Councilman Richard, however, refused to go along; and there was a temporary break with his former campaign manager. Finally Plissner came back, this time with a proposition that they open the city to punchboards.

\$750,000 for Punchboards

"He told me," says Richard, "that he had engineered a deal whereby the exclusive operation of punchboards would be given to four men. He emphasized that he would be one of the four. He told me that I need not become involved in any fashion, that I would never have to discuss the matter with anyone else, that I would not have to sign any papers, and that I would receive one-fifth of the net income through legitimate channels."

"He described these legitimate channels as fees for legal work, purchases or sales of real estate and other methods which could be devised."

"He told me that the net income from the exclusive punchboard operation was estimated at about \$750,000 per year. He told me that the punchboards would be distributed in all drugstores and other retail stores, in hotels and night clubs."

"He said that in consideration for my gaining the benefit of this income of approximately

\$200,000 a year I would have to consent to the maintenance of a 'liberal policy' in the city of Miami Beach. He told me that the S & G syndicate, the most powerful gambling group in the city, would then open and commence operations as in years past."

"He said that I would be permitted to level vicious attacks at the S & G syndicate and upon the gambling gentry at council meetings," continued Councilman Richard, "but that I was never to discuss the matter with the city manager or the chief of police privately."

Fake Gambling Raids
"I would ride with the chief of police and several police officers in a squad car, on certain occasions and we would raid certain important gambling locations. He assured me these raids would be highly dramatic, and there would be glowing newspaper reports and that the public would be satisfied that I was bending every effort to keep my campaign promises."

Councilman Richard, however, refused to co-operate. He told Plissner that it was "the craziest thing" he had ever heard, and that he considered Plissner "insane." Almost immediately the recall of Richard as city councilman was started. Plissner himself even had the nerve to file the first petition of 47 names asking for Richard's removal.

Other names are being added to the petition every day, and in a short time the world will know whether the underworld will run the city of Miami Beach, Florida, or whether it is possible for a clean city councilman to buck these powerful and invisible forces.

Indo-China's No I Red Is Scholarly Revolutionist

By PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—(NEA)—American officials who have come in contact with Ho Chi Minh—just recognized by Russia and Communist China as head of the Viet Nam (Indo-China) Democratic Republic—rate him as wise, shrewd and tough. The whole struggle against world communism now seems centered about this little-known Oriental revolutionist.

He is rated as a scholar and philosopher, though his education is indefinite. He speaks French, English, Russian, Chinese and a number of the languages and dialects of Indo-China and Malaya. He is a Moscow-trained professional revolutionist who has operated all through Southeast Asia, from Siam to China. He has been jailed by the British and Chinese.

His courage is considerable. The French thought they had him surrounded in a four-block area in Hanoi a year or so ago. They threw a cordon around the area and thought he could not escape. He shaved off his chin whiskers, dressed as a coolie and pulled a ricksha bearing two fat women right through the French troops.

From the best intelligence reports available, Ho Chi Minh is not his real name. He was born as Nguyen Tat Thanh in a village near Vinh, French Indo-China, in 1892 or 1894. He was the son of a school teacher and a rebel against the French. His sister and brother were both jailed by the French colonial authorities.

Sent to China By Moscow

In 1923 he was sent as a French Colonial delegate to an International Farmers' Conference in Moscow. Two years later, under the name of Song Mon Cho he was sent by Moscow to Canton, China, as interpreter for the Russian agents Gallen and Borodin. At this time Chiang Kai-shek's Kuomintang was in close alliance with Moscow.

Ho lived at the Soviet Embassy, sometimes using the name of Ly Thuy. He recruited Indo-Chinese for a new nationalist society known as Thanh Nien, and saw that they were trained in military and revolutionary tactics at the Whampoa school. And he sent a lieutenant, Le Hong Phong, to Moscow for higher training as his successor.

Then in 1927 the Kuomintang broke with the Russians and Ho made his way back to Moscow. Next year he was sent to Siam, where he had considerable success in organizing the Annamese colony of some 30,000 for revolutionary activity. He went to Hong Kong and in 1930 organized the first openly avowed Indo-Chinese Communist party.

Ho got small subsidies from Moscow, believed to have been about 5000 francs a month. But it was enough to organize revolution. The French were able to put down the uprising, with considerable bloodshed. But Ho's activities came to the attention of the British. In June, 1931, they put him in Hong Kong prison for a two-year stay.

Dedicated to Brewing Unrest

From his release in 1933 until 1940, Ho kept up his revolutionary organization, working from Hong Kong, Canton and Macao. For the first three years he directed a fight against French imperialism. Then, when there was a popular front government in France, he changed tactics and co-operated with the colonial government for reform.

In May, 1941, Ho changed his Communist party organization into the Viet Minh—the League for Independence of Viet Nam. At first the Chinese supported him, believing he was ready to fight the Japs. Then the Chinese grew suspicious and jailed him for 18 months. The Chinese proclaimed a new Republic of Viet Nam under Trong Voi Cong. But when Ho was released from prison he became a member of the cabinet.

Ho broke with this movement in 1944, however, and with 700 guerrilla followers returned to Northern Indo-China. He made several trips back to China, and on one of them persuaded American Office of Strategic Service agents to drop arms to his forces.

Instead of using these arms to fight Japs, Ho saved them to fight the French. And when the Japanese finally left the country at the end of the war, Ho was able to get their arms, too. Some 10,000 Jap deserters also joined his forces, giving him a hard corps of fighters. Ho seized control of the radio, and so gained control of the country before the French forces could come back. So the French recognized him.

From March to December, 1945, Ho was in Paris. The French coalition government at that time included the Communists, and Ho made many agreements with the French. But the Kremlin apparently told him that they did not want stability. When Ho returned to Indo-China, one of his first deeds was to order the massacre of several thousand Europeans. He has been in revolt against the French ever since.

Just Town Talk

TODAY IS Valentine
DAY
AND MANY Gifts
CANDY
FLOWERS
MESSAGES
AND SO Forth
ARE BEING Exchanged
BUT IN The
MEANTIME
THERE ARE Many
WHO OPENED
THEIR MAIL
THIS MORNING
CAREFULLY AND
WHEN ALONE
BECAUSE THEY Always
EXPECT ONE Or More
OF THE Comic Kind
WHICH THEY'D Rather

SEE FIRST
BEFORE THEY Show Them
To ANYONE Else
USUALLY THEY Are Sent
IN A Spirit
OF FUN
BUT THEY'RE Not
ALWAYS RECEIVED
THAT WAY
HOWEVER ONE Sedalia
MAN SAID This
MORNING
"LOOKS LIKE I'm
SLIPPING
AND LOSING My
PRESTIGE I Didn't
RECEIVE EVEN
ONE COMIC Valentine"
I THANK YOU

Abundant Living

by

E. STANLEY JONES



James 2:8—9; Rom. 12:3, 10, 16; 13:9—10

THE SELF-CENTERED AND THE SELF-DISRUPTED

The law upon which individuals and groups and nations break themselves when they become egocentric is this: "Who-soever will save his life shall lose it"—concentrate yourself on yourself, and that self will go to pieces, not only spiritually; but mentally and physically as well.

The reason for this is obvious. The three driving urges or instincts within us are self, sex, and the herd, or social, instinct. The self instinct is obviously self-regarding; the herd instinct is other-regarding; the sex instinct is partly self-regarding and part other-regarding. So there are just two driving instincts—the egoistic and the altruistic, the self-regarding and the other-regarding. Both of these must be fulfilled—and fulfilled in the proper proportion—or life will be frustrated and unhappy.

There are those who think that Christianity teaches that they must love others, but not themselves. This is a mistake. Christianity teaches self-love: "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." If you did not love yourself, you would not develop yourself. So all attempts to eliminate the self end in hypocrisy and disaster. If you put your self out of the door, it will come back through the window, probably in disguise. Frankly and honestly you must love yourself—not as a master, but as a servant; for the self is a glorious servant, but a gruesome master. Those who love others and not themselves, allowing others to sap the life out of them, end in disaster. On the other hand, if one organizes life around himself and becomes self-centered, then, as sure as fate, disaster overtakes that self. Does God pronounce judgment from heaven upon that life? No; by the very inherent laws within one the judgment takes place. The person is at war with himself. His altruistic instinct is frustrated and undeveloped; hence the person is dissatisfied and unhappy. He probably doesn't know what is the matter with him. The malady is simple—he is a house divided against itself, and hence cannot stand. Every self-centered person is trying the impossible—to live against himself.

O God, my father, I see that Thou hast wrought Thy laws into the texture of my being. How foolish for me to run against those laws and think I can get away with my folly! For I cannot get away with myself. Forgive me the folly of warring with myself and hence with Thee. Amen.

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Ruth Millett

The Way to Have Fun At a Party is--Have Fun

Whether she is sixteen or sixty, when a woman goes to a party she wants to give the impression of being completely at ease.

It's easier to manage if she will keep a few important points in mind.

Remember that a fixed smile worn all evening doesn't give the impression of poise. A smile ought to come and go—when there's a reason for it. It isn't a real smile when it becomes a set expression.

She will feel more at ease if she singles out others for attention than if she gets off in a corner and waits to be singled out.

Gushing is always a sign of trying too hard to be pleasant, and so is never a reflection of poise.

Exclamations Are Not Necessary
It isn't necessary to punctuate another person's story with "how dreadful" or "how simply wonderful" in order to be an attentive listener. Listening quietly is much more flattering to the person who is telling the story than con-

stantly interrupting to make some meaningless exclamation.

Trying to cover up shyness with loud talk or loud laughter indicates nervousness instead of poise.

A haughty, disdainful manner more often gives the effect of self-consciousness than of being perfectly at ease.

The surest way of appearing at ease is to go ahead and have a good time and to forget about everything but enjoying the companionship and gaiety the party offers.

Leads Way to Honey

The honey guide, a small bird of Africa, leads human beings or other mammals to trees containing bees' nests. After the nest has been looted for honey, the bird feeds on the bee grubs that have fallen to the ground.

Colors of gold are dependent on the addition of various alloys.

In the Middle--As Usual



End of a Chapter

By Edwin Rutt
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THE STORY: Alice Pine, secretary to Muriel Halleck, who writes popular stories under the name of "Patience," suspects Muriel's husband Brent of having cruelly whipped Rick, his four-year-old adopted son. Although Alice cannot forgive Brent, she feels strangely drawn to him. One night Brent takes her in his arms on the beach. Later Alice finds that Muriel has witnessed the scene, but does not seem to be disturbed by it, although Alice feels that in some way she has been betrayed. Later Brent leaves Grovesend Point, Conn., where Alice lives, to take an advertising job in Providence. Alice is keenly disappointed when he fails to return the first week-end. The next week Muriel tells Alice her New York agent has phoned and something "Muriel" does not say what is brewing in a literary way. Muriel will go to the city the next Saturday. Alice, in the conversation Muriel says Alice is "delicately uncomplacent." "In other words," Alice replies, "stupid."

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WHEN Alice Pine called herself "stupid" Muriel Halleck did it a strange thing. She laid a hand on Alice's arm and her fingers gripped it, almost painfully.

"Anything but that, my dear. Could be—gray hoods dropped over silvery eyes—"That I'm the stupid one. I mean—Oh, bosh! I don't know just what I do mean." Alice didn't either. But Muriel was evidently overwrought, feverishly excited. And it was not surprising. She had worked herself dizzy lately. Now Pat Boyland's call and whatever Pat wanted had stimulated her even further.

"Listen," Alice said, "know what you're going to do? You're going to let me put you to bed and have your dinner sent up. And I won't hear any arguments."

"Darling," suddenly Muriel leaned against her, eyes half-closed, "there aren't any arguments. I'll go. I am tired. Out on my feet."

Alice took Muriel by the arm and marched her upstairs. She stood by until Muriel, in an expensive and inadequate nightgown,

lay propped up against three pillows.

"There!" Alice smoothed the covers. "This is just where you belong. I knew you'd fold, if you kept it up. And it's horrid of Pat Boyland to butt in just now."

"Pat?" Muriel murmured, happily and sleepily. "He's just a little old gold mine, Alice dear."

Alice sniffed. "He can be a big old Golconda on Saturday, for all of me. But you forget him tonight. Do you want a book to read?"

"No, thanks. Give me a bed-jacket though, will you, dear. There's one hanging in the closet."

Alice opened the closet door, and stepped inside. She had to rummage around a little before she found the jacket. Then, as she pulled it off the hook, she froze in her tracks. It was just as if she had seen a snake.

"Can't you find it?" Muriel called.

Alice backed hastily out of the closet. She took a deep breath, blinked and handed Muriel the garment.

"What's the matter?" Muriel glanced at her from beneath lowered lashes.

"N-nothing," Alice forced her voice back to normal. "I just swallowed the wrong way, I guess. And that"—she laughed, too brightly—"reminds me. I'd better go tell the cook about your dinner."

EARLY the next morning Alice found Muriel in the study reading her manuscript. Muriel looked fresh and relaxed.

"Hi, doctor," she said. "You gave me a good prescription. I feel like a million dollars."

"Well, don't go at it too hard today," Alice warned. "There's no wild rush."

"Mm. Could be, dear, that there is a rush." Then, unexpectedly, Muriel's eyes darkened. "I said I felt like a million. I do, except for one thing. And I'm going to get it off my chest right now. You

saw this last night, didn't you, Alice?"

Muriel reached into the middle drawer of her writing table and drew out a little whip. It was green in color, with a looped leather thong affixed to the handle.

Alice started, aware again of that cold sensation prickling the back of her neck.

"Well, yes," she said, uncomfortably.

Muriel's eyes seemed to brood over the supple green length before her.

"I wouldn't know what you thought," she said finally. "But, you know, it isn't necessarily mine, because it happened to be in my closet."

"Really, Muriel, I—I didn't think anything." That, to some extent, was true. She hadn't known what to think.

"Oh!" Muriel started at her. "I was wrong, then. I thought you looked quite shocked. But if you want the truth, Alice, I had to—well, confiscate this thing once. And I hung it in there, intending to get rid of it. But I simply forgot."

FOR a second Alice could not understand her feeling of quick, almost overpowering dismay. But, suddenly, she did understand it. "Confiscate?" And all along Alice had been—well, hoping otherwise.

"Muriel," she made herself say, "this isn't any of my business."

Muriel Halleck did not seem to notice the dismay that Alice Pine felt. She was looking at the whip, tapping the green thing against the palm of her hand, while Alice repressed her feelings. Her head nodded as Alice spoke and then, after a moment's pause, Muriel looked up at Alice and spoke.

"I know, dear," Muriel said gently. "But it seemed to call for some explanation. Now let's forget it. But"—she thrust the whip at Alice—"do you mind giving this to the cook on your way out? Tell her to burn it with the trash."

Alice did not give it to the cook. She burned it, personally, in the incinerator, before getting down to the day's business.

(To Be Continued)

Side Glances



"I've got six more years before I even graduate from high school, Miss Jenkins—all the good jobs will be gone by that time!"

Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

H. E. Huston, operator of a transfer company, sold that business and also his coal and storage business to William Eddington.

W. E. Miller, former Sedalia and more recently superintendent for the D. & R. G., at Pueblo, Col., has accepted an appointment as trainmaster of the Gulf division of the International and Great Northern railway with headquarters at Palestine, Tex.

Frank Helsley purchased from W. W. Bolton a modern five room residence at 1704 South Moniteau avenue.

B. O. Sims, of Weleetka, Okla., who has been visiting his son, John W. Sims, left for Mexico, Mo., on a business visit.

R. B. Hamner, manager of the Sedalia Light & Traction company, left for Grand Rapids, Mich., to attend the annual meeting of the officers of Edward M. Deane & Co., chief stockholders in the Sedalia company.

"Dick" Johnson, a former Sedalia ball player, now a Kansas City resident, was here as the guest of Senator Holmes Hall while en route home from a visit at Clinton.

The Rev. C. R. Carlos, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church, was the recipient of a purse presented on behalf of the congregation.

The Doctor Says—

Cure of Fibrositis Depends Mostly on Apparent Cause

By Edwin P. Jordan, M. D.
Written for NEA Service

A kind of rheumatism affecting the soft tissues such as the muscles and ligaments is often called fibrositis. Pain in several parts of the body, lessened ability to move easily, and stiffness are characteristic. Muscular rheumatism and lumbago are really varieties of fibrositis.

There are many causes for fibrositis. The most common is associated with some infectious or toxic condition. This is one kind of rheumatism in which removal of an infected tooth or infected tonsils is quite likely to be of benefit. Injury is also a common cause but sometimes the injury may have been so slight as hardly to have been noticed. Cold, overexertion and overexposure are commonly at fault.

The end of the word, "itis," means inflammation. Consequently fibrositis implies that there is a slight inflammation of certain of the soft tissues. As one would expect, therefore, fibrositis may start suddenly with pain in some part of the body for no apparent reason. At other times it may begin gradually with fatigue coming before the soreness, pain and stiffness.

Around the shoulder and lower

portion of the back, the neck, the tissues around the large joints, and the chest wall are common locations. Pain is almost always present but swelling is far less constant. Tenderness to pressure is the rule. Nodules or little bumps under the skin are frequently felt in or near the tender region.

If the fibrositis is associated with an acute infection, then rest and the appropriate treatment for that infection is needed. If it comes with upsets of the stomach and intestines, perhaps a liquid or soft diet is in order. The removal of an infected tooth or tonsils may be indicated in some cases.

Use Drugs Carefully

Drugs play a part but have a be used with care. If the cause is repeated small injury, then, of course, that should be eliminated. If the cause is bad weather or exposure, then staying indoors and avoiding exposure may be enough. The rest of the treatment depends on what appears to be the cause and what can be done for it or them.

Many people have had attacks of this condition at one time or another. Most people recover without any treatment. However, most attacks of fibrositis are rather painful and quick relief is badly desired. Aspirin, of course, helps a little. Heat treatments or other forms of physical therapy are also useful in bringing at least temporary—and sometimes permanent—relief.

Social Events

"The Melody Lingers On" a Helen G. Steele Music Club program which was originally scheduled for Wednesday night, February 15, has been postponed until the night of March 15.

Miss Mary Frances Elbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan H. Elbert of St. Louis became the bride of Robert Andrew McCormick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman McCormick, January 21 at the Immanuel Methodist church in St. Louis.

The bride is the granddaughter of the late Mrs. Ophelia Cline and niece of Wherley C. Cline of Otterville.

The Thursday club met at the home of Mrs. George Lewis on February 9, with eleven members and three guests present.

Mrs. Robert Embry became a member.

The program subject was "Our Friends Abroad" and was presented by Mrs. S. O. Campbell, Mrs. Kenneth Ficken, Mrs. J. L. Johnson and Mrs. O. O. Ginn.

Following a game refreshments were served by the hostess.

In addition to a birthday party at which most of his relatives were present Buddy Anderson received a long distance telephone call from his aunt, Mrs. Ruth Moore, from Sacramento, Calif., on his sixth birthday anniversary. Buddy is recovering from a fractured arm which he broke when he fell on Ohio avenue Christmas eve.

Recipe for Caramel Meringue Pudding

A correction on a recipe in the recipe section Sunday follows:

Caramel Meringue Pudding
Ona Ream
714 West Second street
1/2 cup of flour
1/2 tsp. salt
4 egg yolks
3 cups milk
2 tbsp. vanilla
4 egg whites, beaten
1/2 cup of granulated sugar
1/2 cup of brown sugar
Blend sugar with flour and salt. Add yolks and milk. Cook slowly, stir constantly until thick. Blend in butter and vanilla. Pour into a buttered shallow baking dish. Beat whites stiff, add sugar and beat until creamy. Cover and bake 15 minutes in slow oven.

Pettis Countians To Take Part in Concert

Wm. Jesse, Robert Pruitt, and John H. Gregory of Sedalia; Wilma Schanz and Dorothy Schanz of Hughesville; and Marilyn Rayburn of Green Ridge have been selected as members of the Central Missouri State College 72-piece Symphony Band, which will be presented by the music division in formal concert program, at 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon February 19 in Hendricks Hall, Warrensburg. This concert is open, free of charge, to the general public.



EVERY DAY IS VALENTINES—For you St Valentine's Day with its hearts and lace comes but once a year. But for Eva Dubois of East Springfield, Mass., one day of cutting valentine shapes is just like any other all year long. Eva, an employee at a Westinghouse vacuum cleaner plant, cuts her hearts of cloth with a power saw, a two-inch stack at a time, for use in making dust-collector bags for cleaners.

CHURCH NEWS

The Homemakers class of the East Sedalia Baptist church will have an all day meeting at the church on Wednesday. Everyone is asked to bring a sack lunch. Hostesses will be Mrs. Elmer Krees, Mrs. Frank Howe and Mrs. Cecil Allcorn.

The T.E.L. Class of the First Baptist church, will hold its regular class luncheon, Thursday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock at the church.

Mrs. William Burton, of group six will be the hostess.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will be held at the church at 2:15 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Leonard Hall, president, to preside. Miss Nina Harris is in charge of the program. Mrs. R. L. Momborg will have the devotional. A duet, Mrs. Carl Yessen and Mrs. Virgil Wills will sing. The address of the afternoon will be made by George Miller, attorney, on "World Missions and International Relations."

Bible Verse At Roll Call

Mrs. Lewis Hammond Jr., 621 North Grand avenue, entertained the Longwood Homemakers club at her home in an afternoon meeting February 7th. The 11 members present answered roll call with a Bible verse beginning with the first letter of their names. The devotional was given by Mrs. Clay Leftwich. Letters were read from Miss Watkins and Miss Zimmerman. Mrs. Hammond gave a report on the council meeting and read a leaflet entitled "Our Young Citizens". An interesting

book review, "It Happens Every Spring" was given by Mrs. Joe Jenkins.

One visitor, Mrs. L. B. Hammond was present. Refreshments of angel food cake and fruit jello were served. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Carl Rames March 8th.

Covered Dish Club Luncheon

Mrs. A. L. Brewer of 311 East Eleventh street was hostess to the Bowling Green Home Economics club, February 9 with Mrs. J. W. McLaughlin, assisting hostess.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. The president, Mrs. L. E. Morris called the business meeting to order. Roll call was answered to a "Definition of the Home." Mrs. Charles Ahrens, song leader, led the group in singing, "A Missouri Hymn". Mrs. J. W. Stephens and Mrs. W. J. Harrington had the devotional. A committee was appointed to select plays and characters for the plays. Mrs. Ralph Harrington read a letter from Miss Catherine Timmerman, state demonstration agent.

A kitchen queen with two assistants are appointed each month to help in the kitchen after dinner. Mrs. J. B. Ellison, game leader had charge of a Valentine game in which Mrs. L. E. Morris was the winner.

Visitors were: Miss Lillian Thomson, head of home economics department, Hastings College, Hastings, Neb.; Mrs. G. E. Lilliston of Clinton; Mrs. Dora Brewer of Warrensburg; Mrs. Stubb Swearingin, Mrs. Melvin York, Mrs. Gene Patrick, Mrs. George Lacy and Mrs. David Harrington.

Democrat class ads get results!

World Day of Prayer Plan

Plans for the World Day of Prayer were completed at a meeting of the Spiritual Life committee of the Sedalia Council of Church Women on Monday at the library. The committee is composed of Mrs. J. C. Orender, Mrs. Harry Kanter and Mrs. L. H. Hodges with Mrs. Ernest Liebel, president and Mrs. Roy Gerster, vice-president and ex-officio members.

The World Day of Prayer will be held on Friday, February 24 at 2 p.m. at the Fifth Street Methodist church. The theme for this world-wide observance is "Faith for Our Time" and the committee has secured Henry Tani, an American of Japanese ancestry, as the speaker on this theme. Mr. Tani was educated at Leland Stanford University and is an interesting and forceful speaker. Prior to World War II he was engaged in business in San Francisco. At the outbreak of the war he was sent with his family to the Relocation Center at Topaz, Utah. He was relocated in St. Louis where he engaged in Christian education work in the Evangelical and Reformed church and is now assistant treasurer on the board of National Missions of that denomination with headquarters in St. Louis.

The worship service for the World Day of Prayer was written by Michi Kawai, a Japanese Christian who was educated in America and who is head of a girl's school in Tokyo, Japan.

Friendship Club Meeting

The LaMonte Friendship Club met at the home of Mrs. Alfred Brown, Thursday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. Raymond DeFraim, presiding.

The meeting was opened by singing the Club song and a prayer given by Mrs. McCune. The Club voted to contribute to the March of Dimes, and decided upon a bake sale at Berry's Store, Saturday, February 25.

Mrs. Brown gave the inspirational, "Friendship". The American Home department had charge of the program with Mrs. Ida King, chairman, assisted by Mrs. E. P. Burke, who read a poem, "Tomorrow", and Mrs. Raymond DeFraim reading a poem, "Love". Mrs. King read the selection.

Visitors present were: Miss Alice Brown, Mrs. John Schieszer, of Marshall; Mrs. Crag Temple and children. The hostesses served refreshments of jello, heart-shaped cookies and coffee.

The March meeting will be held with Mrs. Ina King, with the Public Welfare department in charge, with Mrs. Clarence DeHaven as program chairman.

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Warns of Annihilation



Dr. Albert Einstein warned that building of the hydrogen bomb makes possible the "radio-active poisoning of the atmosphere and hence annihilation of any life on earth." He gave his first statement on the hydrogen bomb during a filmed talk on Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt's first television show in New York. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Child Slightly Hurt in Collision

A Sedalia Bus Co., bus driven by William Wickliffe, 1023 East Ninth street, and a 1938 Chevrolet coach driven by Wayne Roberts, 820 West Fourth street, collided about 8:23 o'clock this morning at the intersection of Broadway and Grand avenue. Carol Jean Crum, six, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Avery Crum, 429 East St. Louis street, was slightly injured.

According to a report of the police as given them by the drivers of the two vehicles, Roberts was headed East on Broadway and started to make a turn to go north on Grand avenue and Wickliffe, was headed west on Broadway, when the accident occurred.

Damage to either vehicle was not considered serious.

The little girl was taken back to her home in the bus by Wickliffe.

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WEDNESDAY SPECIAL!

Full Course Special
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6 Nylon Skirts, black, green, grey—12-14-16	\$8.95	\$3.00
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1 Red Mole Stole	prices plus tax	79.95 30.00
1 Red Mole Ascot	prices plus tax	29.95 10.00
2 Cashmere Sweaters—short sleeve, blue/40, yellow/36	12.95	7.00
1 Cable Knit Sweater—long sleeve, size 34	10.95	5.00
1 Group Blouses—jersey, satin, nylon	5.95	2.00
6 All Wool Fur-Trimmed Coats, 8-10-11-12, values to	99.95	50.00
4 All Wool Suits, 12-16 1/2-16-20	values to	79.95 33.00
1 Group Dresses		2.00
1 Group Dresses		5.00
1 Group Dresses		8.00
1 Group Dresses		10.00

● Foundations—Lingerie

Munsingwear, 2-way stretch girdles and pantie girdles	\$3.50 & \$4.00	\$1.98
Garter Belts—sizes 25-27-29-31, pink and white	2.00 & 2.50	77c
Brassieres—satin or nylon, broken sizes 32AA to 42C	1.50 & 3.00	97c
Group Half Slips—longs—26 to 32—black, grey, navy	5.95	2.97
Challis Gowns—long sleeve—embroidered 40-42-44	3.95	1.98
Outing Flannel Gowns, sizes 44 to 46	4.50	1.98

● Household Items

3 Shower Curtains, plastic	\$3.95	97c
1 Lot Drapery Remnants	1/2 Price or Less	
6 Lace Panels, ecru—42x90	2.95	97c
3 Odd Curtains	3.95	97c
4 Woven Bedspreads—full size only	5.95	2.97
Marvelon Plastic Cloth, 46" wide	49c yd	17c yd.
Woven Plastic Place Mats—acqua only	89c	27c
Lot Slip Cover & Drapery Fabrics—fast color	1.35 yd.	97c yd.

● Miscellaneous

100% Wool Plaid Fabric—patterns	\$3.50 & \$4.95 yd.	\$1.00 yd.
1 Group Costume Flowers	values to 1.00	19c ea.
Group Girls' Winter Coats, 5-10-12-14	19.95 & 24.95	9.98 & 12.48
Table Girls' Apparel	1/2 Price or Less	

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Kansas City Woman is Sent to Jail

Until She 'Purges' Herself Before A Federal Grand Jury

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 14—(P)—A woman county employee, a close friend of an ex-convict, was sent to jail today until she "purges" herself before a federal grand jury investigating underworld activities here.

The woman, 43-year-old Blanche A. Howard, appeared under considerable emotional strain as U.S. District Judge Richard M. Duncan issued the order committing her to the Jackson county jail.

Judge Duncan said her first opportunity to appear before the grand jury and give a satisfactory explanation of how she acquired some \$18,000 would be Friday. The grand jury is in recess until that time. If she does not choose to appear then, the judge said the "jury will be recessed until March 13."

Told of Getting Money

Miss Howard, a friend of ex-convict Charles Gargotta, had told the grand jury she had received about \$18,000 from Jack Griffin, alias Jack Gregory, Griffin, described by the jury as a "notorious Kansas City and St. Louis mobster," disappeared in 1934 after he had been wounded following a rumor he had been involved in the slaying of John Lazia, northside political leader.

Miss Howard was cited for civil contempt by the grand jury for giving "obstructive" answers to the jury. Miss Howard as an employee of the county assessor's office received a salary of \$2,800 a year.

"Any woman making \$35 to \$40 a week doesn't put large sums of money in the bank and dress well unless she has other sources of income," Judge Duncan said yesterday after a hearing on the contempt action.

"Preposterous Fanc"

Judge Duncan described Miss Howard's answers about money she had in three savings and one checking account in banks here as "preposterous fancy."

Miss Howard "willfully, deliberately and contumaciously obstructed the process of this court in giving answers which were shifts and subterfuges instead of truth, in blocking the search for truth by answering with the first preposterous fancy which she chose to put forth," the judgment stated, "and in otherwise failing and refusing truthfully and fully to answer these proper questions put to her in the proceedings before the grand jury."

Upon taking the bench, Judge Duncan said the court had discussed the transcript and testimony at the close of a hearing for Miss Howard yesterday. Then, he said, he was ready for the order and judgment.

"Miss Howard, please step to the front," Judge Duncan said.

Miss Howard and her attorney, Ira B. McLaughlin, stepped before the bench.

Obstructed Grand Jury Work

The court told her she had been guilty of obstructing the work of the grand jury. After telling her she would be given an opportunity to appear again before the grand jury Friday, the judge adjourned court.

McLaughlin took Miss Howard to the desk of Lee Hayes, court bailiff and deputy U.C. marshal. Miss Howard sank into a chair at the desk. Later she conferred with McLaughlin and Marion D. Walter, also counsel for Miss Howard. Miss Howard appeared near tears.

Throughout the court session, Miss Howard kept her head bowed and never once looked up. She appeared to be under considerable emotional strain. Occasionally she dabbed at her eyes with a handkerchief, reaching under the gold-trimmed, horn rimmed spectacles she wore.

Miss Howard was neatly dressed. She wore a black skirt and

black jacket with a close fitting pastel blue hat and a short camel's hair topper.

BIRTHS

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hassler, of Ottumville, at 12:49 o'clock this morning at Bothwell hospital. Weight: Eight pounds, two ounces.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kindel, route 3, Knob Noster, at 4:37 o'clock this morning at Bothwell hospital.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ray, Green Ridge, at 5:38 o'clock Monday night at Bothwell hospital. Weight: Eight pounds, 13 ounces.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. John Berry, of Seattle, Wash., at 8:45 Monday night. Mrs. Berry was formerly Dorothy Cowherd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cowherd, 703 East Sixteenth street. Mr. Berry, who is in the Navy stationed in Seattle, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Berry, 706 East Fourth street.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Peoples of Syracuse, February 8th. Weight: 7½ pounds. He has been given the name of William David.

Mrs. Peoples was the former Miss Alma Lee Combs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Combs of Syracuse.

Mayors Seek Maintenance Hi-Way Streets

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lic relations secretary, to manage the new headquarters this morning.

Before the commission session Bagby said his committee would meet with Bruce Carl of Columbia, secretary of the Municipal League. He said he did not know how many members could attend. Serving with him on the committee are these other mayors:

H. D. Allison, St. Joseph; A. W. Bartlett, Poplar Bluff; Joseph M. Darst, St. Louis; Harry R. Garrison, Warrensburg; J. F. Hensley, Fulton; L. Russell McKee, Joplin; F. L. McCormick, Moberly; and J. E. Moore, Bethany.

No date has been announced for the referendum. Reliable sources have predicted it will be held March 19.

The law, passed by parliament Feb. 4, over bitter opposition led by the socialists, calls for only an advisory referendum. Parliament still must decide whether to ask the king to come back.

Names Head of Health Group

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 14—(P)—Gov. Forrest Smith appointed a retired hometown doctor today to head the state division of health.

He is Dr. Buford Hamilton, 68, of Richmond, Mo. He succeeds the late Dr. C. F. Adams, who served as acting director after Dr. R. M. James retired last summer.

Dr. Hamilton retired about a year ago and moved to the governor's hometown after practicing 20 years in Kansas City as an obstetrician and gynecologist. He taught those subjects at the University of Kansas medical school for 20 years.

A native of Stewartville, Mo., Dr. Hamilton is a 1905 graduate of Washington University at St. Louis. His appointment to the \$7,500 a year job is subject to Senate confirmation, but the governor said he would take over the health division next week.

"It is encouraging to me to get a man of his background and experience, willing to come down here and serve the state," the governor said. "That is very encouraging for our democracy."

Planning for Sewer Districts

The city administration is now in the process of laying out plans and profiles for the various sewer districts, composed of laterals that connect to mains. This step is a part of the sewer bond project which is about 75 per cent completed.

The districts that will be surveyed are ones which have had mains installed there through the sewer project. At the present time there are 70 sewer districts in Sedalia.

A number of petitions have been received at the city hall, requesting district sewer laterals. Plans and specifications will be made as the various sewer districts are installed.

The first procedure is to make maps and profiles of the various districts, to ascertain the depth and location in which the laterals run. Assisting the engineer with this work is John F. Schondelmeier.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. Ollie Hardin, of Florence; Everett Martin, Warsaw and George Arquitt, 191½ South Ohio avenue.

Admitted for tonsillectomy: James Green, 666 West Fourteenth street.

Dismissed: Raymond F. Jones, Kokomo, Ind.; Miss Nell Pettigrew, 112½ East Fifth street and Orville Van Wey, Tonia.

Prominent Oklahoman Died

HOUSTON, Feb. 14—(P)—Samuel Lloyd Noble, prominent oilman, Oklahoma Republican leader and philanthropist, died unexpectedly early today. He was 53.

Death came to the wealthy Ardmore man in the Lamar hotel at 12:30 a.m. He was here on a business trip. The cause of death was not announced.

Divorce Suit Dismissed

A divorce suit in circuit court of Wealthy M. Cole against James S. Cole was dismissed this morning, by the plaintiff.

Babe Christened

John Beatty Boyd, born August 6, 1949, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Boyd, 422 West 5th, was christened Sunday morning in the Fifth street Methodist church here, died at his home last night of a heart attack.

Widely known in Southeast Missouri, he served in churches at Malden, Jackson, Charleston, Poplar Bluff, Flat River, Clayton and St. Louis. He came to Cape Girardeau from Malden in 1946.

Methodist Minister Dies

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., Feb. 14—(P)—The Rev. P. A. Kasey, 67, pastor of Grace Methodist church here, died at his home last night of a heart attack.

Springfield Nurse To Wichita Hospital

WICHITA, Kas., Feb. 14—(P)—Miss June M. Mc Ilvin, Springfield, Mo., has been assigned as chief nurse at the Wichita Veterans Administration hospital, it was announced today.

An Army nurse for three years with the 42nd field hospital in Europe, Miss Mc Ilvin landed on Utah Beach in Normandy on D-day.

She was at VA hospital, Jefferson Barracks, Mo., three years, and comes to Wichita after eight months' training at VA hospital, North Little Rock, Ark.

Cloyd Leftwich Sold Heifers At Top Price

A load of heifers owned by Cloyd Leftwich, Hughesville, route 1, were sold recently by the National Live Stock Commission Company through J. C. Gibson for \$28.00 per hundredweight weight, which was the extreme top of the market.

Clay Gibson is a former Sedalia.

Woodland Hospital Notes

Admitted for medical treatment: S. C. Chancey, route 1, Sedalia. Dismissed: Mrs. Virgil Staus and son, East Ninth street.

REA Having An Election Today

The annual meeting of the Central Missouri Electric Cooperative, Inc., is being held this afternoon at the Sedalia Armory, with one of the largest crowds ever assembled for an annual meet.

A total of 615 members were there in person, with an additional 603 persons voting for three directors of the organization by proxy.

The three out-going directors who were also up for re-election are: Thomas J. Raines, Pettis county; Otto H. Pinkepank, Saline county, and R. J. Behrens, Benton county. Six other board members not up for election, serve with the organization.

Following various reports, given by the president, Thomas J. Raines, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Ed Heffernan, who is also a board member, and the manager, Leland M. LaVelle, Leland Countz, route 2, spoke. Countz talk was followed by Julius Helms, executive manager of the Missouri State REA Association.

Officers On Stand

Others testifying were Sergeant W. S. Barton of the highway patrol, Trooper Pete Stohr and G. V. Means, who questioned Schick, Smith and the Halfacre girl at police headquarters, following the incident.

Also testifying were Police Officers William Hatfield, Clarence Flewellen and Sgt. Volle Moore, who made an investigation after police were called to Main street and Osage.

Dr. K. L. Holdren, testified of pronouncing the man dead upon arrival at Woodland hospital.

Ready to Fight For White Wife

SOUTHAMPTON, Eng., Feb. 14—(P)—Seretse Khama, king of the Banagwatos, flew in from Africa today to fight for the right to keep both his throne and his white queen.

The 27-year-old Negro refused to answer any questions. In London he will confer with Philip Noel-Baker, secretary for commonwealth relations.

Noel-Baker is expected to tell Seretse that the British cabinet has decided he cannot have both throne and bride—Ruth Williams, the 24-year-old London typist he married in 1948 while attending law school in London. Seretse must give up either the throne or the woman he loves.

As a compromise measure, Noel-Baker will suggest that Seretse agree to tribal rule by a sort of state council, of which he would be a member. He will be told that the alternative would be serious unrest in and around the Bechuanaland protectorate, where the 100,000 Bamangwatos are the main tribe.

Color-conscious South Africa and Southern Rhodesia both have protested strongly against rule of the Bamangwatos by a Negro with a white wife.

AFL Endorses Housing Bill

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14—(P)—The AFL endorsed the administration's "middle income" housing bill today. And the Independent Machinists Union told Congress it would have to ask "proportionately greater" wage boosts this year if rent controls are abandoned.

Here were the developments:

1. William Green, American Federation of Labor president, urged the House Banking committee to approve the housing bill. The legislation aims at helping middle-income families acquire homes through cooperative.

Sell Champion Bull At Show For \$2,150

Herefords Sale At Fair Grounds Monday Success

The Missouri Hereford Breeders' Association, held its seventh annual meeting, show and sale in Sedalia Sunday night and Monday. The annual election of officers taking place Sunday night at a banquet held at the Bothwell hotel while the show and sale was held at the Missouri State Fair grounds, Monday. A. W. Harris, Jr., Harris, Mo., was elected president to succeed W. T. Matney of Dearborn, Mo.

Richard A. Robinson, Labadie, was elected vice-president and he succeeds Charles Bianchi of Macon. A. J. Dyer, Columbia, was re-elected as secretary and treasurer of the organization. Board of directors re-elected were W. T. Matney, Charles Bianchi, and A. W. Harris.

Roy S. Kemper, secretary of the Missouri State Fair, was the principal speaker on the program Sunday night.

The Winners

DD Silver Domina, owned by Davisdale Farm, Boonville, was tied as the Grand Champion bull of the show. JCP Larry 23rd, owned by the Emmadine Farms, Inc., Breckenridge, was tied as the Reserve Champion bull.

JCP Miss Larry 7th, owned by the Emmadine Farms, Inc., was named as the Grand Champion Cow. LVF Onw, Plus 17, of the Breeder Longview Farm, Lee's Summit, was tied as the Reserve Champion Cow.

Owners of the prize winning bulls and cows were presented with bronze plaques on behalf of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce by Virgil Herrick, Director of Agriculture of the C. of C.

John F. Zander, secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce, gave a brief talk, welcoming the exhibitors and the buyers.

Officials of the Association expressed their pleasure over the show and sale but indicated astonishment over the fact the cows brought an average of \$514.80 just \$5.30 less than what the average bulls brought which was \$520.10. There were 50 head of bulls sold ranging in price from \$2,150 for the grand champion down to \$200 for a total of \$26,005. The 25 cows sold and ranged in price from \$1,600 down to \$130 with an overall total of \$12,870.

Grand Champion At \$2,150

The grand champion bull was brought by L. B. Seabaugh, Jackson, Mo., for \$2,150, while the grand champion cow was purchased by Bianchi Hereford Ranch at Macon for \$1,600.

The reserve champion bull and reserve champion cow were passed in price at the auction. The reserve champion bull being sold at \$1,400 bought by Ivan Roadaway of Unadilla, Nebraska. The reserve champion cow was sold for \$825 to Roy S. Allen, Carrollton, Mo.

BHR Helmsman A. 74th, a blue ribbon winner in his class brought second high money for the day when he went for \$1,750 to J. H. Baker of Holden.

Blue Ribbons

Two blue ribbon winners in the cow class passing the reserve champion in price were BHR Miss Helms A. 68th, which was sold by Charles Bianchi, Macon to William M. Van Cleave, Macon, for the sum of \$975. ECF Bonnie Princess, owned by Edg-Cliff Farms, Potosi, Mo., brought \$900 and went to Davisdale Farms of Boonville.

Among the high sellers of the cows were: JSA Lady Dorengo 2nd, owned by Atha Hereford Farm, Lee's Summit, and sold to Mission Hills Farm, Joplin for

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Homes Wrecked By Tornado



Several homes were leveled and wrecked at Hughes Springs, Texas, Feb. 12 when a tornado swept through the community and injured several persons. This is one of many towns which suffered from tornadoes Feb. 11-12. (AP WIREPHOTO)



Searchers look through the debris of a home at Gill, Texas, which was leveled by a tornado. The men were seeking possible victims of the twister, which injured several persons in the small saw-mill community. (AP WIREPHOTO)

\$800; JCP Miss Larry 24th, Emmadine Farms, Breckenridge, sold to Arlie McClard, Farmington, for \$800; LVF Princess 54, Longview Farm, Lee's Summit, sold to Ivan Roadaway Unadilla, Neb., for \$790.

High priced bulls, higher than \$800, Loyalist 16 WHR, F. J. Bichel, Lineville, Iowa, (Mercer county, Missouri) to Eli Nesmith, Butler, Mo., \$1,040; JCP Triumph 5th, Emmadine Farm, Breckenridge, to Orma E. Machee and Son, Centralia, \$850; ECF Royal Ruler, Edg-Cliff Farms, Potosi, to Ed Landen, Wheaton, for \$1,000; and LVF Blocky Domino 6, Longview Farm, to Lovelock and Shirk, Richmond, for \$900.

Judge of the show was Francis M. Hill, Grove, Oklahoma. Auctioneers were: Jewett Fulkerson, Liberty, Mo., and Ray Sims, Belton, Mo. Superintendent of show and sale was Rollo E. Singleton, Department of Agriculture, Jefferson City.

The meeting was presided over by W. T. Matney, Dearborn, president at the time.

Excitement On Grady The Cow Subsides

YUKON, Okla., Feb. 14—(AP)—The excitement of a new baby around the place died away Monday as Grady the cow settled down to the routine of her wifely duties as a new mother.

The now-famous hereford cow and her 110-pound son born yesterday posed for photographers. Then Grady II went back to his milk diet and his mother munched contentedly at the feed trough.

You may remember Grady as the cow who became so excited last year at the death of her first-born calf she jumped into a silo.

Experts the nation waited while experts took several days to get her out. A coat of grease and much shoving and pushing finally did the trick.

Calls For Injunctions Against Road Taverns

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 14—(AP)—Prosecuting Attorney O. R. Newcomer today sent word from

Shreveport, La., to his office to begin injunction proceeding against two and possibly three Buchanan county roadhouses.

He designated one of his assistants to draft the petitions against the places, reported by the state liquor control supervisor to have been selling liquor in violation of the state law.

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- 1 2-wheel trailer
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Olen E. Downs—Auctioneer.

Old Law Is Held As Being Invalid

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 14—(AP)—The Missouri supreme court held unconstitutional Monday an old 1877 law under which three Missouri towns and their informers had hoped to collect a total of \$45,000,000.

The old law provided there had to be three-foot aisles at the wall end of the rows of seats in certain places of amusement. The cities of Charleston, Fredericktown and Sikeston hoped to recover the fines from theater owners Robert G. Brady and R. P. Smith.

The informers would have received half the fines.

Smith and Brady won, in the lower courts but the cities and their informers appealed. The supreme court sided with the theater owners' that the law was unconstitutional because:

It provided the penalties could be recovered only in a court "held in the town, village or city where the offense shall occur."

That eliminated cities where there was no court and that in turn made the law purely local in intent—thus it was unconstitutional, the supreme court held in an opinion written by Judge Roscoe P. Conkling.

After seven pages of consider-

Honor Annually To Top Poet

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 14—(AP)—America's outstanding poet is to be honored annually from now on by Yale, it was announced here Monday.

Yale, president Charles Seymour explained, is to present the \$1,000 Bollingen prize to a citizen of the United States whose poem or book of poetry has been rated outstanding by a committee of award.

Those close to Yale are confident none of its selections will ever be met with the bitter criticism which fell on the Library of Congress in 1948 when the federal agency awarded the Bollingen prize to Ezra Pound.

Pound, an expatriate American who lived in Italy during World War II and made broadcasts for Fascists, was indicted for treason after the war. He was ad-

judged insane, however, and never tried.

Currently he is in a Washington, D. C. mental hospital.

Pound received the Bollingen award for his book of verse, "Pisan Cantos," which was bitterly assailed by some critics as incomprehensible nonsense in part.

A congressional probe of awards was threatened several times, but finally was dropped when the Library of Congress disassociated itself from similar awards in the future.

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Experts See a Close British Vote and a Labor Victory

By BRUCE BLOSSAT
NEA Staff Correspondent

The experts foresee a far closer election in Britain this time than five years ago, when Labor swept the boards to win a commanding edge in Parliament.

Right now the leading public opinion poll gives Labor a slim one and a half per cent advantage. A few months back the Conservatives led by 10 per cent, but Labor's recent rush has more than closed the gap. It will be the distribution of the vote, however, that will tell the story on election day.

When Britain balloted in 1945 the Conservatives were enjoying a 200-seat margin in the House of Commons, the important lower chamber. A 12 per cent swing to Labor put that party in power with a similar 200-seat edge.

This time the experts think an eight per cent shift is needed to return enough Conservatives to afford them a good working control of Parliament. A narrower swing would leave them vulnerable, for under the British system a government may be tossed out any time it fails to win a vote of confidence.

The present consensus among the forecasters—and the people too—is that the Conservatives won't make the grade. The belief is that there will be a turn toward them, but that Labor still will win by a fair margin. Labor itself talks of a 60-seat lead.

Any outcome much closer than that might throw the two parties into virtual deadlock and hand the balance of power to the Liberal party. The Liberals now hold but 10 seats in the House, but they have entered 400 candidates in the election. Even 50 seats would make them a potent factor in a tightly balanced alignment.

For the Liberals, it's do or die this time. The once great party is making a stubborn comeback bid. If it fails, observers agree it's through. Ironically, more than one analyst contends many Britishers would rather vote Liberal than Conservative or Labor. But they think their votes would be wasted, it is said, because they doubt the Liberals' chances.

The Conservatives are enraged at the Liberals for entering 400 names. They argue that the net effect will be merely to split the opposition vote in many areas and let the Labor candidates ride in. Some Conservatives are running under joint Conservative-Liberal labels in an effort to lick this problem.

This year the spoils of political war are fewer. Voting districts, called "constituencies" in Britain, have been remodeler to accommodate population changes. The result is the new Parliament will have just 625 House seats against a present 640.

The final lineup in the old one showed labor holding 382 seats, Conservatives 202, National Liberals 13, Liberals 10, Communists two. The rest were scattered among splinter groups and independents.

The Communists, incidentally, have entered 99 candidates this time, as compared with 21 in 1945. But no one concedes them much chance of boosting their representation.

There's another new factor in the 1950 election. The government has limited a candidate's campaign expense to \$1200 plus a small allowance for each voter in his constituency. This outlay is supposed to begin Feb. 3, official opening date of the campaign.

British industries facing nationalization have been propagandizing, however, for a long time. Candidates fear that money spent for this purpose in their areas may be charged against them. Should they win, court action to unseat them might follow on the ground their expenses were illegally high.

Conservatives are not alone in worrying over this. Labor men are afraid the expenses of Labor's daily press might be assigned to their campaigns.

Industry is definitely puzzled. Some billboard posters have been covered up, while others still blazon their message. The steel industry, already marked for public ownership, defiantly insists on "informing" the voters of its case. The symbols of this phase of the battle are a little crew of im-



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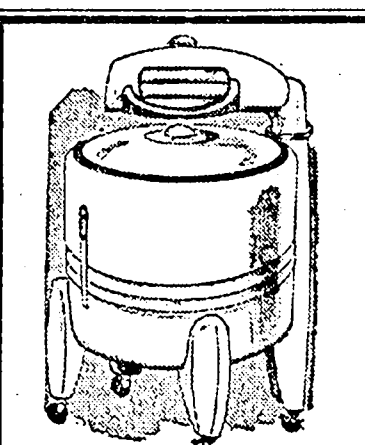
aginary characters that might be compared to America's "Howdy Doody," except that political significance has been added.

There's Mr. Cude, a belligerent little square of sugar, eager to fight the government; Mr. Mix, his counterpart in the cement field; Sir Loin, a doughty battler who thinks labor means to squeeze the juice out of him by nationalizing the meat trade, and Miss Pru, demure darling of the insurance world, who is trying hard to resist the government's "advances" in her direction.

But back of these Disney-style performers is the real cast of characters in Britain's 1950 campaign show.

Prime Minister Clement Attlee, who though long pictured as weak and colorless, now has his party's confidence as a fair-minded, efficient leader and an impersonal icicle able to cool down Labor's often overheated prima donnas.

Winston Churchill, his Conservative opposite number, old John Bull himself, still a glamorous figure, a stirring orator who can



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Big, beefy Ernest Bevin, Labor's foreign minister, onetime trolley car driver and dockworker, who brought a new bluntness to international diplomatic combat.

Anthony Eden, aging and not so well now, but still a dashing figure

ure certain to take Bevin's place in event of a Conservative triumph.

Sir Stafford Cripps, Labor chancellor of the exchequer, so thoroughly the embodiment of Britain's economic "austerity" and self-denial that a foreigner quipped as he left a European conference to go home: "There he goes, back to his bed of nails."

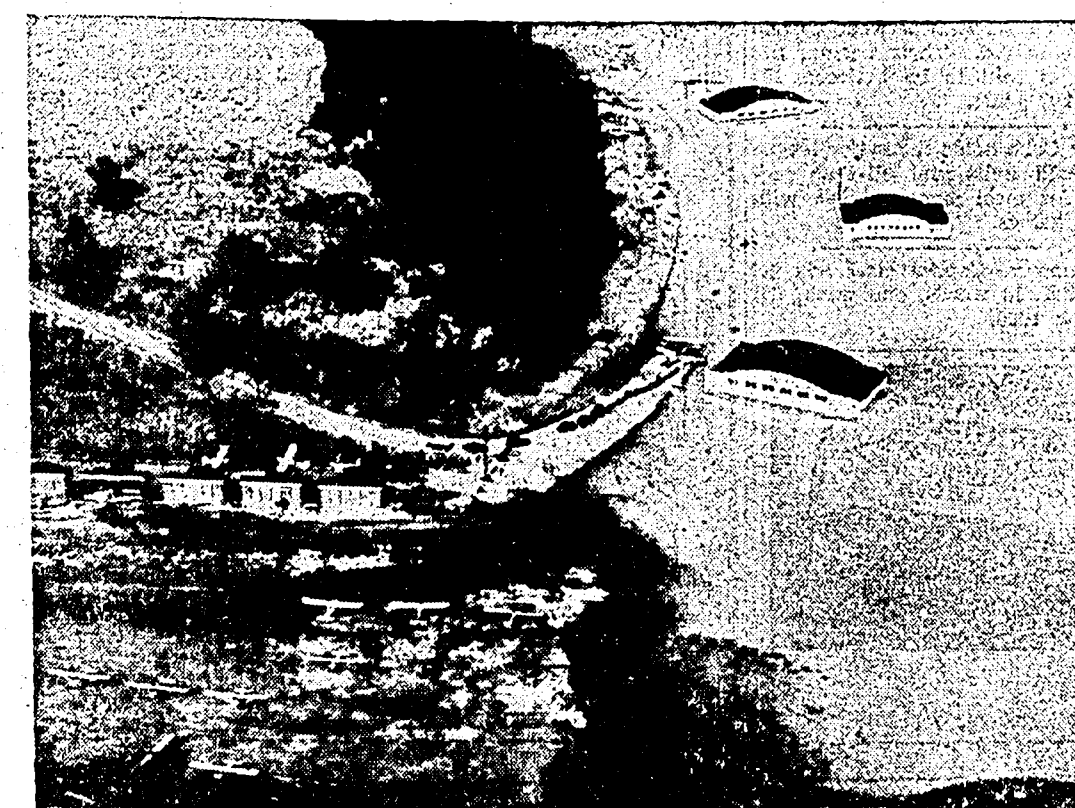
Lord Woolton, the Mr. Fixit of the Conservatives, who was the chief rebuilder of the party's machinery after its 1945 debacle and would rank high in a new Conservative government.

There are many others. But these are the best known. They're all mounting the political barricades now to do battle over the big issue: Is it to be more—or less—socialism for Britain?

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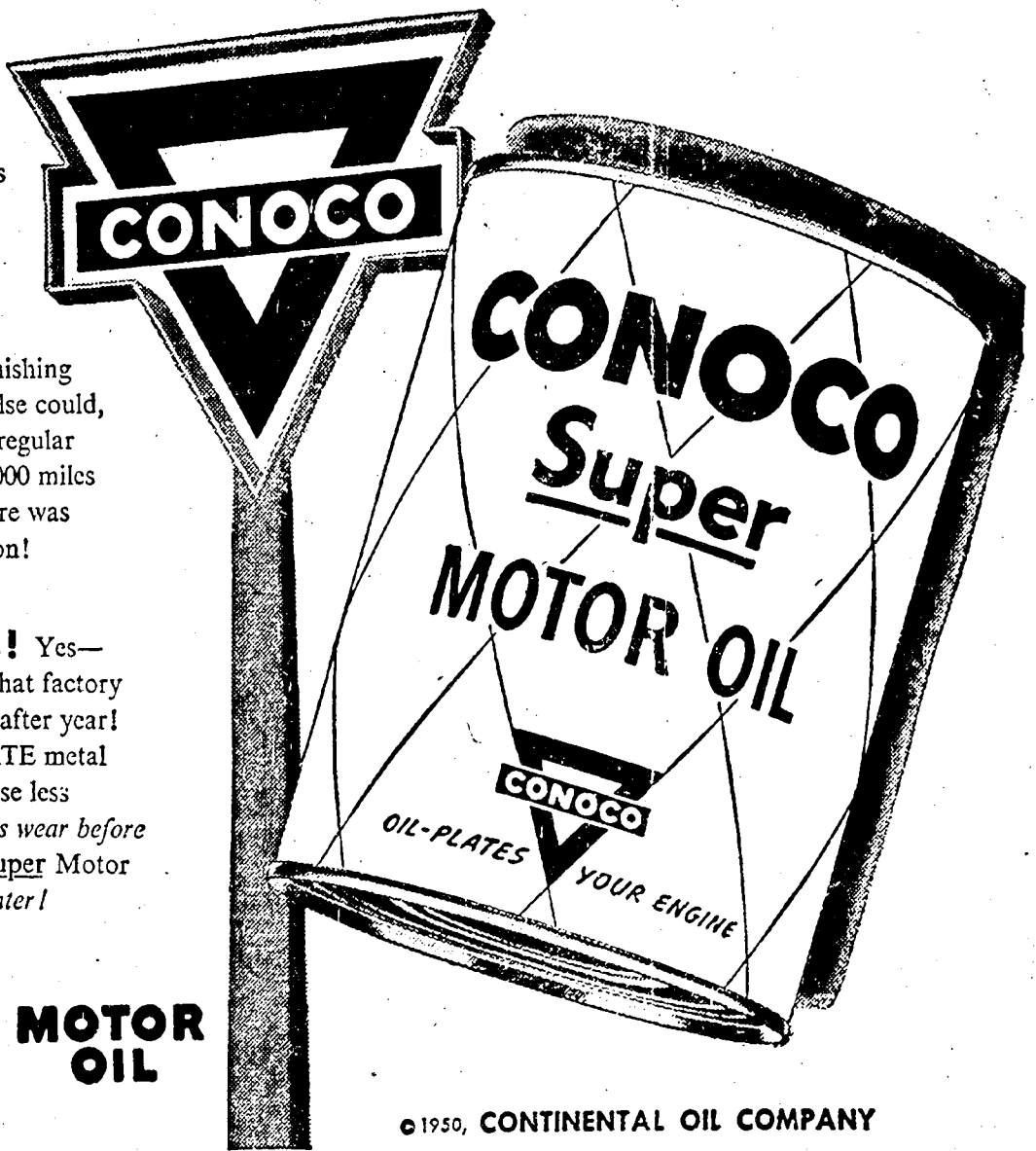
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Cage Action For Tigers Here Tonight

Visitors Will be College High of Warrensburg

The Smith-Cotton Tigers will go after victory No. 19 tonight, when they face the College High quintet from Warrensburg on the local court at Smith-Cotton high school. A preliminary game between the "B" squads will start at 6:30 o'clock.

The Tigers won a previous battle over the Warrensburg cagers by a 54 to 30 count. The Tigers have a season record of 18 wins and four losses.

Low Spirits

The Smith-Cotton basketball team is at a low ebb in spirit for the season, having lost to Hannibal by a 44 to 53 score last Friday night, which also caused the Tigers to lose the CEMO conference crown.

The local cagers will finish their regular season this week and must regain their spirit and fight for the regionals which will begin next Tuesday night at Boonville.

S-C to Regionals

The Tigers will wind up their regular scheduled games with M.M.A. here next Friday night. The Tigers beat the Colonels 50 to 27 last January. Sedalia has clinched second spot in the conference standings, but the Tigers are determined to win the last two games, to make a good showing in the regionals.

College High's team is led by Iris, center, who is little and fast but can jump high. Iris along with his teammate, Flittering should provide some keen competition for the Tiger squad. The team is coached by Whiteman.

Affirm Faith In N. C. A. A.'s 'Sanity Code'

A. P. Makes Survey On Prime Problem

NEW YORK, Feb. 14—(P)—Five famous eastern universities—Harvard, Yale, Cornell, Pennsylvania, and Columbia—affirmed their faith today in the N. C. A. A.'s "sanity code."

Said Grayson Kirk, provost of Columbia, "we feel quite strongly that the unchecked subsidization of intercollegiate athletics could result in the complete commercialization of any sports where income is involved, such as football and basketball."

The N. C. A. A.'s "sanity code" and subsidization generally have become prime problems in college ranks this winter.

The five big eastern schools along with 21 other institutions across the country were asked four questions in an associated press survey, as follows:

1—"Does your university subsidize athletes, and if so to what extent in what sports?"

2—"Do your alumni subsidize athletes privately and if so is this with or without the knowledge of the university?"

3—"If subsidization, either open or sub rosa, continues unchecked what future do you predict for American college sports?"

4—"Do you subscribe to the N. C. A. A. 'sanity code'?"

Of the five universities, Cornell and Pennsylvania have been the most successful in football in recent years, last year's Cornell team winning eight against one defeat, while Pennsylvania won four and lost four.

At the other extreme, Harvard won only one and lost eight and Columbia won two and lost seven. Yale won four and lost four.

Said Harold E. Stassen, president of Pennsylvania: "The university of Pennsylvania subscribes to the N. C. A. A. 'sanity code' and have signed this agreement. The university of Pennsylvania is abiding by that code and proposes to continue to support it."

No and Yes

C. W. De Kiewiet, acting president of Cornell, answered questions one and two with a flat "no" and number four with "yes."

"Concerning the third question would imply assent to the inference that there is unchecked subsidization."

Dr. Charles Seymour, president of Yale, wrote:

"Yale does not 'subsidize' athletes as athletes. We grant scholarships and personal quality to our student, including athletes. But in the award of such scholarships no distinction is made between those who are participating and those who are not participating in intercollegiate sport. xxx

"Yale subscribes to the N. C. A. A. 'sanity code'."

William M. Pinkerton, director of the news office at Harvard, declared "Harvard does not subsidize athletes" and Harvard does subscribe to the N. C. A. A. "sanity code." He added that Harvard's football policy was under study and as a result the officials of the university did not wish to comment further.

Wins Women's Slalom



Dagmar Rom, 21, Austrian ski star lands on one ski after taking the road jump in Women's Giant Slalom at Aspen, Colo. She won in 1:29.6 (unofficial). A student at the University of Innsbruck, she won the international combined at Salzburg in 1949, and placed second in the downhill at Arlberg Kandahar that same year. (AP WIREPHOTO)

Holy Cross is No. 1 Quintet For 5th Week

Bradley Braves, 37 Points Back For Top Position

By Joe Falls

NEW YORK, Feb. 14—(P)—The team Adolph Rupp picked as the best in the nation—Bradley university—may yet justify the Kentucky baron's faith.

The Bradley Braves, gaining momentum, are applying the screws to Holy Cross' rating as the No. 1 basketball power in the nation.

While Holy Cross today was voted the top position in the Associated Press poll for a fifth straight week, its margin has shrunk to a mere 37 points over the rampaging Braves from Pecora, Ill.

Last week Holy Cross held a 274-point bulge on Bradley. Holy Cross attracted 56 first place votes from the 140 sports writers and broadcasters across the country. Bradley drew only 16.

However, Bradley commanded enough second, third, and fourth place ballots to give the unbeaten Crusaders a genuine battle. Holy Cross totaled 986 points, Bradley 949.

Ohio State Advances

Ohio State, Western Conference kingpin, advanced a peg to the No. 3 slot, replacing Duquesne of Pittsburgh, which dropped to seventh.

St. John's university, of Brooklyn held its fourth place ranking, while Rupp's Kentuckians flashed from seventh to fifth under the steam of seven straight triumphs. Rupp picked Bradley as the class of the nation at the start of the season.

Long Island university placed sixth, a notch ahead of Duquesne. North Carolina State, the only member of the top 10 to lose last week, finished eighth while two newcomers—Western Kentucky and UCLA—completed the list.

Sectionally, the east dominated the rankings with four teams, the south boasted three, the midwest two and the far west one.

A significant note was San Francisco, ranked 12th. The Dons, winners of the National Invitation tournament, culled 18 first place votes—second only to Holy Cross' total.

The top teams (first place votes in parentheses and points on a 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 basis):

Team	Record	Pts.
1. Holy Cross (56)	20-0	986
2. Bradley (16)	22-3	949
3. Ohio State (8)	16-3	754
4. St. John's (8)	20-2	631
5. Kentucky (6)	18-4	635
6. Long Island (5)	17-2	458
7. Duquesne (1)	18-1	451
8. No. Carolina St. (7)	18-4	365
9. West Kentucky (5)	19-4	323
10. U.C.L.A. (3)	17-4	322

Kansas State played 14th with one first place point had a record of 13-5 and a total of 172 points. St. Louis was in 18th place with

Austrian Women Tops In World Ski Meet

ASPEN, Colo., Feb. 14—(P)—Austria's go-getting gals were the big show in the opening day of the world's Alpine ski championships, and Austria's men expect to cut a few fancy capers themselves.

The Austrian women, led by a laughing blonde lovely, Dagmar Rom, swept six of the first seven places in the women's great Slalom yesterday.

Miss Rom raced down the tricky, three-quarter mile course in one-minute, 29.6 seconds to take first place.

The men compete today in the same event. And it would be no great surprise, even to the Austrians, if they again dominated the standings of the top ten.

"Our women were very good, even better than we expected," said Ernst Skardarasy, manager of the Austrian team. "Our men? Oh, they are very good too."

This opinion wasn't challenged by any of the expert observers. They noted that the Austrian women were hitting the gates at more perfect angles and pushing harder for speed than other competitors. The Austrian men perform the same way.

Marlene Bauer Leads Florida Tournament

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 14—(P)—Marlene Bauer, sensational girl golfer from Midland, Tex., continues to set a fast pace in Florida tournaments.

Marlene, who'll be 16 years old Thursday, won the women's golf championship of Palm Beach last Saturday and teamed with Regina B. Boardman, Jr., of Palm Beach yesterday to take medalist honors in the 15th annual Everglades Club mixed foursomes event.

Miss Bauer and her partner carded a 69, one under men's par for the 5,973-yard Everglades Club course to lead the field of 71 teams.

Taking alternate strokes, they had birdies on seven of the 18 holes and finished five strokes ahead of Mrs. Betty Bush, Hammond, Ind., and Bob Sweeney, former British Amateur champion from London, England.

Today they play the team of Ruth Woodward, Fall River, Mass., and W. A. Pagan, West Palm Beach who qualified with 77.

Other teams and their scores include:

Alice Bauer, Midland, Tex., and Clarke Hardwicke, Bel Air, Calif., 75. They play Jean Dobbin, Norwood, Mo., and H. R. Ring, Boston (80) today.

Kansas Citian Joins Oakland Baseball Club

OKLAND, Calif., Feb. 14—(P)—The Oakland baseball club announced today signed contracts had been received from pitchers Forrest Thompson and James Tate and utility infielder, Eddie Samcoff.

Tate joined the Oaks last mid-season, coming from Kansas City of the American Association.

one first place vote, a record of 13-5 and 87 points.

Sacred-Heart Quintet Beat Methodist

Thursday Night Will Close The Optimist League

In the first part of the seventh round of the Sedalia Optimist league, the Sacred Heart cagers came out on top by winning over the Fifth Street Methodist team 31 to 25 in a tilt played on the Mark Twain court, Monday night.

It was a well played game with only a few points difference throughout the game. O'Bannon, center for the Methodist team was high pointer with 8 points, while Stohr and Ryan, tied with 7 points each for Sacred Heart.

The second game between Baptist and Episcopal was won by Episcopal cagers by a forfeit.

Exhibition Game

An exhibition game was played between Episcopal and Optimist West teams, and Optimist West won by two points, 26 to 24. Brooks was high pointer for Episcopal and Donald Chapin took honors for Optimist West, making 21 points.

Hank Williams was referee, Carl Ballinger, timekeeper, with Paul Mines and Dr. Russell Drenon scorekeepers.

The last part and final round of the Optimist basketball league will be played at Washington school, Thursday night. The first game is to get underway at 7:30 p. m., between the Optimist West, facing the Optimist East team. The second tilt at 8:30 p. m., will see the Sedalia Democrat Carriers pitted against the Sedalia Capital Carriers. This will complete the league games.

Plans are underway to hold a tournament for the eight teams that have played in the league. These games will be played in two days and will be held at Liberty Park, Convention Hall.

Last Night's College Basketball Scores

By The Associated Press

Duquesne 71; Carnegie Tech 49. Villanova 83; Scranton 33. Princeton 51; Cornell 49. Kentucky 77; Alabama 57. Vanderbilt 85; Mississippi State 50.

Louisville 74; Marshall 67. North Carolina 52; William and Mary 46.

Bradley 59; Oklahoma A&M 46. Ohio State 47; Missouri 46. Nebraska 57; Oklahoma 55. Indiana 83; Illinois 72. Wisconsin 66; Iowa 62 (overtime).

Minnesota 53; Michigan 48. Ft. Hays (Kas.) State 33; Oklahoma City U. 40.

Creighton 67; South Dakota 58. Beloit 80; Hawaii 52.

Texas Christian 51; Texas 38. Arkansas 52; Texas A&M 46.

Southern Methodist 55; Rice 48. Santa Clara 51; San Francisco 43 (overtime).

Colorado A&M 55; Brigham Young 46.

Yesterday's Sports In Brief By The Associated Press

Skating

ASPEN, Colo.—Dagmar Rom, 21, of Austria won the women's world giant Salalom ski championship. Time for the three-quarter mile course was 1:29.6.

Squash

NEW YORK—Ed Hahn of Detroit defeated Richard Rothschild of New York, 15-4, 15-10, 17-14, for the national amateur squash championship.

College Football

OMAHA—The Very Rev. William H. McCabe, president of Creighton university, rejects alumni suggestion that school resume intercollegiate football dropped in 1942.

Fights Last Night

By The Associated Press

NEWARK, N. J.—Harry Matthews, 176, Seattle, stopped Fredy Fiducia, 189, Newark (7).

WASHINGTON.—Charley Titone, 125, Brooklyn, outpointed Filberto Osario, 125½, Puerto Rico (10).

MIAMI, Fla.—Ray Robinson, 153, New York, stopped Al Mobley, 150, Newark, (6).

U.S. Hockey League

St. Paul at Louisville tonight. No games last night.

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Man Made Wrong Guess-Now Has To Eat Paper

MANHATTAN, Kas., Feb. 14—(P)—A couple of verbal exchanges between the basketball coaches of the University of Kansas and Kansas State College has led to a free meal for a former K. U. student.

The "dinner" is slated to take place between halves of the Kansas-Kansas State basketball game here tonight.

Only course on the table, set up in the middle of the playing court, will be the birth certificate of Clarence Brannum, Kansas State's veteran center.

Pledged to eat the certificate, according to sports editor Al Breckmann of the student paper Kansas State Collegian, is Fred Brooks. Until recently Brooks was sports editor of the University Daily Kansan.

Here's how the free meal came about:

Kansas coach Phog Allen sometime ago nicknamed Brannum "grandpa". Brooks, in his column in the Kansas, said "he would eat the birth certificate of Brannum if Kansas State could prove he was only 23 as claimed."

Brooks insisted that Brannum was 28 or more since he had been playing college basketball since "Noah was in knee britches."

A copy of Brannum's birth certificate shows the big boy was born May 28, 1926, at Winfield, Kas. That would make him 23. The Kansas university side won a point earlier in the season when Kansas State coach Jack Gardner declared that Clyde Lovellette, Kansas' great center, was over 7 feet in height. Allen had his ace measured by coach Harry Good of Nebraska at Lincoln, Neb., and the height was 6 feet 8½ inches.

28th Annual Running of Dog Derby

Event Will Be In Ashton, Idaho February 22

ASHTON, Idaho, Feb. 14—(P)—This souly little mountain town—dogged capital of the nation—will reinstate its colorful dog derby Washington's birthday.

At least eight experienced mushers will enter the 28th annual running of the event with their yapping teams. Prizes totaling \$1,500 will be distributed.

The course is two miles long, shaped like a huge keyhole. Everett Heseaman of Ashton made the record for five laps around its sharp curves in 40 minutes 31 seconds in 1938.

The race this year is called the Ashton Dog Derby, instead of the American Dog Derby, by which it was known since 1917. A combination of too much snow and financial difficulties forced cancellation of the race in 1949.

A Full Program

The new sponsorship also has a full program of other winter sports events for derby day.

Good snow cover assures a fast derby this year. If an unexpected thaw should occur, the race will be shifted to Island Park, 20 miles to the North. Only once since the first race in 1917 was the event cancelled because of lack of snow, although once the sleds were mounted on wheels and the race run over a dry track.

In this high-altitude country on the nation's backbone, game wardens, mail carriers and many ranchers use dog teams, horse drawn cutters or propeller-powered snowmobiles all winter long.

Big Affair In Past Years

The derby capitalizes on that use to draw visitors to Ashton, Idaho.

Tigers Missed Beating No. 3 Team by Point

A Rivalry On Tonight Between Kansas Teams

By Skipper Patrick

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 14—(P)—It's Kansas against Kansas State tonight-one-third interest in the Big Seven conference basketball lead. The game will be played at Manhattan.

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The Nebraska Cornhuskers made possible the three-way tie for the lead by bopping Oklahoma 57-55 at Norman, Okla., last night. The victory gave Nebraska a 5-2 league mark, same as that held by Colorado. Kansas State and Kansas have 4-2 records.

Missouri, last place team in the Big Seven, came within a field goal of knocking off Ohio State, the nation's number 3 team, at Columbia.

Ran Out Of Steam

Ohio State rallied in the last minutes to edge Missouri 47-46. Missouri had led by as many as ten points twice in the last half before running out of steam. Only last Saturday night, the Missourians beat Kansas State, 59-46.

The game at Manhattan tonight will match the conference's top scorer, Kansas' sophomore center Clyde Lovellette, against the Big Seven's leading scoring team, Kansas State.

In six conference games, Lovellette has averaged a fraction of a point under 22.2. Kansas State is sailing along on a 69.5 point team clip.

Both Lovellette and Kansas State were stopped in their last outings. Lovellette got only ten points, his low for the season, as Kansas State was held to 46 points the same night by Missouri.

Milton (Bus) Whitehead, slim 6-foot 9 inch center, was the Nebraska hero over Oklahoma. He got 24 points and captured 13 rebounds.

1950 Red Book Released By The American Baseball League

CHICAGO, Feb. 14—(P)—The American baseball league today released its annual messenger of spring, the 1950 Red Book, a 53-page manual jammed with junior circuit facts and figures.

The statistical reference book, authored by publisher Earl Hilligan, lists 294 players—123 of them rookies—on the rosters to the eight American loop clubs.

St. Louis has the biggest rookie crop, 20, followed by Chicago and Cleveland with 17 each. All other clubs have 14 newcomers each, excepting Washington which has 13.

Pro Basketball at a Glance

By The Associated Press

Last night's results:

National Association: Anderson 93; Waterloo 80. Denver 79; Sheboygan 67.

Proceeds from all events go to the Ashton Memorial Hospital Fund.

Time was when teams were entered in the annual competition from Nome, Montreal, Banff, St. Paul and other distant points. One year 10,000 people jammed into this tiny village of 1,500 to watch the spectacle, and the Union Pacific railroad ran two special trains to handle the crowds.

Originating in 1917, the Derby started as a cross-country marathon. "Tud" Kent of Island Park won the first race in 29 hours 23 minutes over the 55 mile course from here across the blizzard-swept continental divide to West Yellowstone, Mont.

Don't Try to Run the Club Says Pilot of the Dodgers

LAKELAND, Fla., Feb. 14—(P)—If you want to succeed as a baseball business manager, take good care of the players, work hard, and above all don't try to run the ball club.

That's straight from Burt Shotton, pilot of the Brooklyn Dodgers, and George M. Trautman, who bosses the minor leagues.

They spoke last night at the class in baseball business management conducted by Florida southern college—first of the kind ever undertaken.

Shotton told the 45 students, including one girl, that if they tried to tell the players what to do on the field "they probably would have a little trouble."

"The business manager's activities go as far as the fence (of the playing field)—from there on control is up to the baseball manager," Trautman said.

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Upset by H-Bomb Boy, 11, Asks 'Why?'

At 11 a boy thinks of baseball and bubblegum and—just maybe, youth being what it is—of hydrogen bombs. Eddie Rutsky, of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, is just such a boy. At breakfast the other morning his father, Dr. Paul P. Rutsky, and mother discussed the horrendous bomb. Eddie began asking questions. "Some of these questions I could not honestly answer without being cynical," Dr. Rutsky, a dentist, said. "I felt that the replies

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Why?

Mr. President,

I read in our paper about your decision to make a Hydrogen bomb. I'm now eleven years old. I can't see why billions of dollars are spent to make a bomb that will destroy lives. Why doesn't our government spend billions of dollars to save lives? Each year thousands of boys and girls are crippled by Polio and Heart disease. We boys and girls are the future citizens of our country. With all these children becoming crippled by polio and other diseases. What will our country come to in the future. We children have thought to grow up healthy and strong. We do not want to live in fear of death. Why don't we help to save people? Instead we destroy them. Why?

Eddie Rutsky
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COLLAR FOR KITTY—When Tommie turned in at a Cleveland, O., car barn with extensive light damage, the workers sent him to a veterinarian for repairs. Tommie's eye was stitched up, and the first day home he clawed out the stitches. After a second trip to the hospital, the transit men made him this scratch-proof collar to keep his paws out of his eyes. Conductor William Carrig is seen "springing" Tommie from the cat hospital.

Community News from Knob Noster

Mrs. Florence Kendrick

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shelton of Kansas City spent the weekend with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Kendrick.

Mrs. A. C. Adams of Baton Rouge, La., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson, east of town, and other friends here.

Mrs. Burney Warner opened the "Martha Beauty Shop" in the Zuber building Tuesday.

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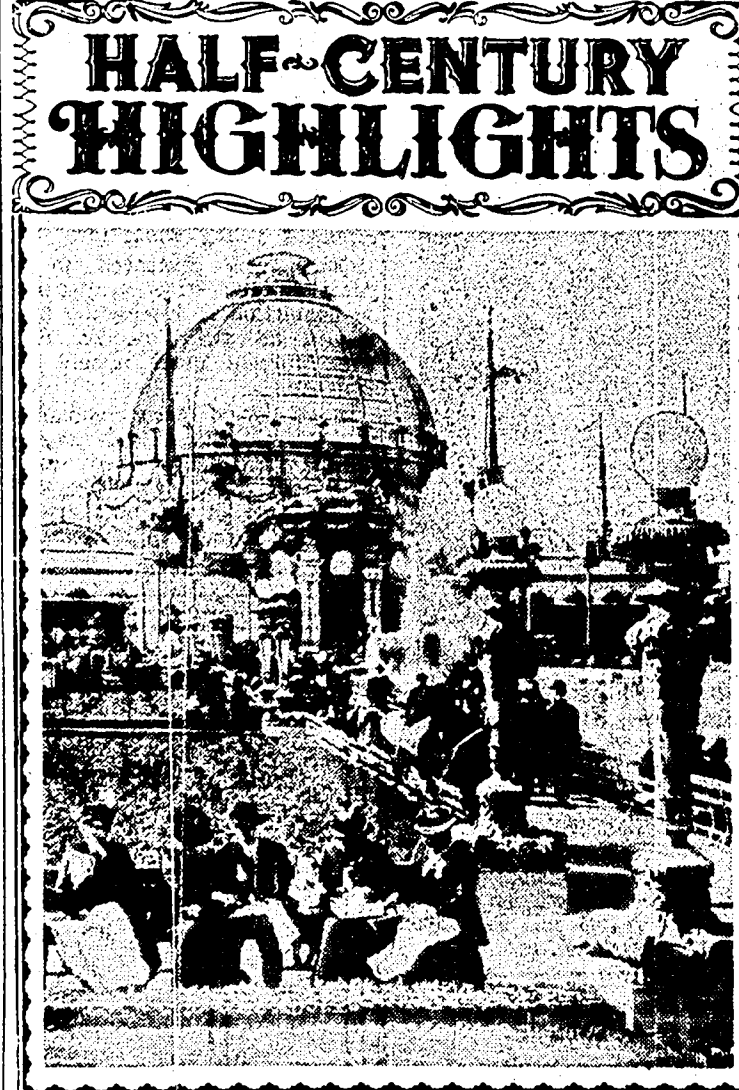
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INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION at San Diego, Cal., celebrated completion of the Panama Canal. It was typical of many elaborate expositions and world's fairs throughout the country during the first half of the Twentieth Century. The Panama-Pacific Exposition took its architecture from the Spanish Colonial, including the old Mexican cathedrals and the homes of the moors. There was Victorianism aplenty, too, obvious in the elaborate decorations. The ladies in the foreground wore Queen Mary hats and carried shoe-box lunches for themselves and their gentlemen friends. The exposition itself included hundreds of exhibits, all the latest in home economics, arts, crafts, science and education, specimens of botany and varied products of commerce and industry.

Extention club met in the school lunch room Friday afternoon. Mrs. Charles Peterman was hostess to 10 members. Mrs. Tom Beatty was a visitor. Mrs. Milton Kendrick, the president, presided over the business meeting. Mrs. Kelly Neitzert gave a talk on tooling copper and brass. Films "Spinning Aluminum" and "The Netherlands" were shown in the school auditorium after which Mrs. Peterman served refreshments of ice cream and cookies.

The following officers were elected at a meeting of the Ministerial alliance Sunday at the Baptist church, following the morning service. President, Lloyd D. Wasson, pastor of the Methodist church, secretary-treasurer, Elder Felix Hacker, pastor of the Latter Day Saint church.

Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd, son Jimmie, of Kansas City spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E.

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Mrs. B. B. Pace celebrated her 80th birthday at the home of her daughter Miss Pearl Pace last week.

Mrs. E. Harold Helms returned Sunday from Charleston, Ill., where she spent three weeks with her sister, Mrs. John Hutchison. Mr. and Mrs. Helms were called to Charleston on account of the death of Mr. Hutchison. Mrs. Helms accompanied her sister to the funeral.

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Dr. Godshall Lectures On Foreign Policy

Speaks At High School In Rotary Sponsored Series

The second in a series of lectures being sponsored by the Sedalia Rotary club and presented through the Institute of World Affairs with the purpose of promoting better understanding of other peoples of the world was held in the auditorium of Smith-Cotton high school Monday night. The guest speaker of the evening was Dr. W. Leon Godshall, world traveler and widely read author, who chose for his topic, "Where Are We Going In Foreign Affairs?"

The meeting was opened by the district governor of the Rotary, Ray Lippard. The invocation was given by the Rev. Glen Lindley of the Federated Congregational-Presbyterian church.

The Sedalia Men's Choral club with Abe Rosenthal and accompanist Miss Lillian Fox sang two numbers, "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "Joshua Fit The Battle of Jericho."

Speaks On Foreign Policy

Dr. Godshall was introduced by Mr. Lippard. Dr. Godshall, who has lived in Japan, China, extensively traveled in Germany, Latvia, Italy, the Netherlands, Egypt, Siberia, Malaya, India, Mexico, Cuba and many other countries opened his address with an outline of the foreign policy that has been used in this country. The outline included the pre-war years and the type of tactics that were employed between this country and our allies during the war.

He said that he had little pride for the foreign policy that has been used during these years. He stated that the topic known as political science is highly controversial and the opinionated that he was going to express were brought about only through years of first hand experience. He said that in his opinion the type of foreign policy that is in operation is reflected much by the president of the United States. The type of men that make our foreign policies are appointed by him and he is the man responsible, he said.

Dr. Godshall went on to say that there were no longer five great powers in the world. He then explained why in his opinion, each of the former powers such as Great Britain, France and China were no longer in the running of power countries.

"Only two countries remain," said Godshall. "In one of these great power countries a meeting such as this could not be held, such as this could not be held. There is only one country in the world of great power that a meeting such as this could be held, and in that country the destiny of the foreign policy can be determined only every four years." At this he was referring to the presidential election.

Dr. Godshall said there is no power of any consequence that has a set foreign policy. He said there can't be. The foreign policies of various countries must be vamped to fit the needs.

Plight Of Britain

The speaker told of the things that the state department could do to build a better foreign policy. He said that in Great Britain there has been a tremendous change in the past ten years. The British foreign policy has slipped into reverse and the countries homes and factories are wrecked. "The industries there are obsolete," said Godshall, "and they have been for many years. And the reason they can not build them up is they have no capital. Their two pre-war sources of capital are no longer.

The stocks the British people held of industries here in this country were sold during the

Father Of Twins To Prison



Ronald Yinger, 26, whose year-end twins led to his arrest as a parole violator through their publicity in New York City, is shown in his cell at Missouri state penitentiary. He was returned to prison Feb. 10. Yinger violated his parole when he went to New York without permission of the Missouri parole board after serving part of a one to three year sentence on a worthless check charge. (AP WIREPHOTO)

war to help pay for the heavy war debt. The export values of the country have fallen to such a low that there is little market for them. The country is existing in a socialist state and the people are being provided for. The working people of Britain are no longer taking any pride in their production or its quality.

"The basic trouble of the British at the present time is they have lived beyond their means for the past five years and are now striving to make up for it," Dr. Godshall continued. "We have been told that in offering financial assistance to the British people we are assisting them to survive. It is not the survival of the British people we are assisting it is the life of the labor government at stake." He added that the underwriting of that type of government doesn't help too much in the winning of British people to our way of thinking and voting on our side. He said that they would vote the way that would most profit them.

Germany Difficulties

His talk continued and he discussed the difficulties that the German people were having. The fact that the country is split

with neither country that is dominating the two sectors willing to concede to the others ideas about the unification of Germany is an unhappy one according to Dr. Godshall. He said the German people desired unification but they can't have unification because there is some question as to who will hold the reins and guide the government.

In Dr. Godshall's discussion of China he brought out the fact that the recent White Paper concerning the foreign policy that had been aimed at China, said that the Communistic control of China was inevitable and the

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Marc Fisher-Galati, 28, a former paratrooper, happily embraces his wife, Charlotte and their three-week-old daughter, Ann Cecile, at Miami, Fla. Marc, an Eastern Air Lines steward, was blown out the door of his plane over Tampa Bay earlier, but managed to hang on to the steps with the aid of a crewmember until the plane was landed. (AP WIREPHOTO)

Nationalist government was scheduled for a fall. The speaker then criticized the state department for pouring four billion dollars down a "rat hole."

Dr. Godshall said that the trouble that one must go through to obtain figures of certain expenditures is beyond all imagination. According to the speaker the White Paper was complete with an abundance of omissions. He went on to explain that absence of certain information in the White Paper and gave a detailed explanation of things that could have been done by the state department to prevent the present state of affairs between China and this country.

"Where Are We Going?" said

Dr. Godshall, "Nobody Knows. The policies that will be employed in the future will be adopted for the circumstances."

Slight Damage To Autos In Collision

Slight damages resulted from a collision at the intersection of Seventh street and Osage avenue at 8:23 p. m. Monday. The two cars involved were a '47 Buick driven by Dr. C. H. Brady 720 West Fifth street, and the other was driven by R. L. Regers of Warrensburg.

Regers was taken to the city jail and Dr. Brady posted \$25.00 bond to appear in police court this morning.

Ruling Of No Racial Prejudice

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 14.—(P)—The Missouri supreme court held Monday there was no racial prejudice injected in the Jackson county circuit court trial of Edward Oscar, a Negro convicted of raping a young white girl.

Oscar was sentenced to 99 years in the state penitentiary on conviction of raping the little 11-year-old girl Nov. 29, 1947. The supreme court upheld the sentence.

In his appeal Oscar complained that the severity of the sentence showed "a preconceived judgment and a bias and prejudice on the part of the jury against defendant because of his race."

But Missouri's highest court found that Circuit Judge Ben Terte had full opportunity to decide whether the racial question left its mark on the jury.

Seek To Locate Leo E. German

The police received a wire from James German of Williamsfield, Ill., late Monday afternoon requesting the police to try and locate his brother, Leo E. German, a transient, who is possibly in this city.

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